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House of Representatives, April 26, 2005

**Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 750:  
Standardized Health Plans, a Major Substantive Rule of the  
Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of  
Insurance**

(EMERGENCY)

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Reported by Representative PERRY of Calais for the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 8072.

Reference to the Committee on Insurance and Financial Services suggested and ordered printed under Joint Rule 218.

*Millicent M. MacFarland*  
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND  
Clerk

2           **Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts and resolves of the  
Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after  
adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

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6           **Whereas,** the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375,  
subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major  
substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and

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10          **Whereas,** the above-named major substantive rule has been  
submitted to the Legislature for review; and

12          **Whereas,** immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to  
record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule;  
and

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16          **Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts  
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of  
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately  
necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and  
safety; now, therefore, be it

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22          **Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved:** That final adoption of Portions of  
Chapter 750: Standardized Health Plans, a provisionally adopted  
major substantive rule of the Department of Professional and  
Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance that has been submitted  
to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised  
Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.

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30          **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the  
preamble, this resolve takes effect when approved.

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### SUMMARY

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36          This resolve provides for legislative review of Portions of  
Chapter 750: Standardized Health Plans, a major substantive rule  
of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation,  
Bureau of Insurance.

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