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Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 306: Uniform Information Disclosure and Informational Filing Requirements, a Major Substantive Rule of the Public Utilities Commission

(EMERGENCY)

Reported by Representative BLISS of South Portland for the Public Utilities Commission pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 8072.

Reference to the Committee on Utilities and Energy suggested and ordered printed under Joint Rule 218.

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

- Whereas, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, 6 subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and
- 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; 14 and
- 16 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of 18 Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and 20 safety; now, therefore, be it

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- Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved: That final adoption of portions of Chapter 306: Uniform Information Disclosure and Informational
 Filing Requirements, a provisionally adopted major substantive rule of the Public Utilities Commission that has been submitted
 to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.
- **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the 30 preamble, this resolve takes effect when approved.
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SUMMARY

This resolve provides for legislative review of portions of 36 Chapter 306: Uniform Information Disclosure and Informational Filing Requirements, a major substantive rule of the Public 38 Utilities Commission.