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Resolve, To Increase Fairness in Medical Payments

Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative MILLS of Farmington.

1 **Sec. 1. Reimbursements based on DRG method. Resolved:** That the
2 Department of Health and Human Services shall, within one year of the effective date of
3 this resolve, implement a system to pay all hospital MaineCare reimbursements based on
4 the diagnosis-related group, or DRG, method that is used by the federal Medicare system.

5 **SUMMARY**

6 This resolve directs the Department of Health and Human Services to implement a
7 system to pay all hospital MaineCare reimbursements based on the diagnosis-related
8 group, or DRG, method that is used by the federal Medicare system.