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Resolve, To Extend to January 20, 2008 the Reporting Deadline for the Tribal-State Work Group

(AFTER DEADLINE)

(EMERGENCY)

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.

Received by the Secretary of the Senate on December 18, 2007. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator MITCHELL of Kennebec. Cosponsored by Representative SIMPSON of Auburn. 1 **Emergency preamble. Whereas,** acts and resolves of the Legislature do not 2 become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, this legislation extends to January 20, 2008 the reporting deadline for the
Tribal-State Work Group; and

5 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within 6 the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as 7 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, 8 therefore, be it

9 Sec. 1. Resolve 2007, c. 142, §8, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 2007, c.
142, §8 is amended to read:

Sec. 8. Report. Resolved: That, no later than December 5, 2007 January 20, 11 2008, the work group shall submit a report that includes its findings and 12 13 recommendations, including suggested legislation, for presentation to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature, the Governor, the Aroostook Band of Micmacs, the 14 15 Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians, the Passamaquoddy Tribe at Indian Township, the Passamaquoddy Tribe at Pleasant Point and the Penobscot Nation. The work group is 16 authorized to introduce legislation related to its report to the Second Regular Session of 17 the 123rd Legislature at the time of submission of its report; and be it further 18

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20 Sec. 2. Retroactivity. This resolve applies retroactively to December 5, 2007.

21 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this 22 legislation takes effect when approved.

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SUMMARY

This resolve extends the reporting deadline from December 5, 2007 to January 20, 25 2008 for the Tribal-State Work Group that was established in Resolve 2007, chapter 142.