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Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 3: Provision of Enhanced E-9-1-1 Access-only Service, 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 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, 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
- 6 Whereas, the above-named major substantive rule has been submitted to the 7 Legislature for review; and
- 8 Whereas, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the 9 Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule; and

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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

14 Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved: That final adoption of portions of Chapter 3: 15 Provision of Enhanced E-9-1-1 Access-only Service, a provisionally adopted major 16 substantive rule of the Public Utilities Commission that has been submitted to the 17 Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, 18 subchapter 2-A, is authorized.

19 Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this
 20 legislation takes effect when approved.

SUMMARY

This resolve provides for legislative review of portions of Chapter 3: Provisions of Enhanced E-9-1-1 Access-only Service, a major substantive rule of the Public Utilities

24 Commission.

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