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House of Representatives, February 2, 2009

**An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Fund for the Efficient
Delivery of Local and Regional Services**

Reference to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

Presented by Representative HAYES of Buckfield.
Cosponsored by Representative: JOY of Crystal.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §5681, sub-§5-B**, as amended by PL 2007, c. 240, Pt. NNN,
3 §1, is further amended to read:

4 **5-B. Fund for the Efficient Delivery of Local and Regional Services.** For the
5 months beginning on or after July 1, 2004 and before the distributions required by
6 subsections 4-A and 4-B, ~~2%~~ 1% of all receipts transferred each month pursuant to
7 subsection 5 must be deposited in the Fund for the Efficient Delivery of Local and
8 Regional Services, as established in subsection 3, and distributed to those municipalities
9 and counties that can demonstrate significant and sustainable savings in the cost of
10 delivering local and regional governmental services through collaborative approaches to
11 service delivery, enhanced regional delivery systems, the consolidation of administrative
12 services, the creation of broad-based purchasing alliances or the execution of interlocal
13 agreements. ~~Any amounts transferred to the Fund for the Efficient Delivery of Local and~~
14 ~~Regional Services in excess of \$500,000 in any fiscal year must be transferred to General~~
15 ~~Fund undedicated revenue.~~

16 **SUMMARY**

17 This bill removes language that requires any amounts transferred to the Fund for the
18 Efficient Delivery of Local and Regional Services in excess of \$500,000 in any fiscal
19 year to be transferred to General Fund undedicated revenue.