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House of Representatives, March 31, 2009

An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Public Hearing Process for the Board of Pesticides Control

Reference to the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative SCHATZ of Blue Hill.
Cosponsored by Representatives: BERRY of Bowdoinham, BOLAND of Sanford, GOODE of Bangor.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 7 MRSA §607, sub-§8-A, ¶F** is enacted to read:

3 F. The board shall hold a public hearing on an application for registration of a
4 pesticide in toxicity category I as described in 40 Code of Federal Regulations,
5 Section 156.62 (2008) or on an application for registration of a product that contains
6 a plant-incorporated protectant.

7 **SUMMARY**

8 This bill requires the Board of Pesticides Control to hold a public hearing on the
9 application for registration of certain pesticides and also on the application for
10 registration of a product that contains a plant-incorporated protectant.