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H.P. 353

House of Representatives, February 10, 2011

An Act To Require Executive Orders To Be Published Online

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Heather J.R. Priest'.

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Clerk

Presented by Representative CAREY of Lewiston.

Cosponsored by Representatives: CAIN of Orono, HAYES of Buckfield.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 1 MRSA §521, sub-§3** is enacted to read:

3 **3. Online publishing.** The Secretary of State shall publish on a publicly accessible
4 website all executive orders in effect on the effective date of this subsection and, for an
5 effective executive order issued after the effective date of this subsection, within 24 hours
6 of the order's issuance.

7 **SUMMARY**

8 This bill requires the Secretary of State to publish on a publicly accessible website all
9 executive orders in effect and, for an executive order issued after this bill takes effect,
10 within 24 hours of the order's issuance.