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House of Representatives, March 8, 2011

An Act To Ensure Humane Treatment for Special Management Prisoners

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety suggested and ordered printed.

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HEATHER J.R. PRIEST Clerk

Presented by Representative CHAPMAN of Brooksville. Cosponsored by Representative: BOLAND of Sanford.

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1	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	CONCEPT DRAFT
3	SUMMARY
4	This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208.
5	This bill proposes to reduce the use of special management units by the Department
6 7	of Corrections and to reduce the length of time that prisoners in the custody of the
	Department of Corrections are confined in special management units. It also proposes to
8	provide a mechanism for a person who is confined in a special management unit for more
9	than 30 days to have that person's case reviewed by an independent 3rd party.