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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

125TH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

9   COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "*H*" to H.P. 744, L.D. 1008, Bill, "An Act To Limit
10   the Use of Social Security Numbers by State Agencies"

11   Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

12   **'Resolve, To Encourage State Agencies To Limit Their Use of Social Security**
13   **Numbers'**

14   Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and
15   inserting the following:

16   **'Sec. 1. Guidance to state agencies to limit their use of social security**
17   **numbers. Resolved:** That the Department of Administrative and Financial Services
18   shall create a policy to be used as guidance by state agencies that encourages the agencies
19   to limit their use of social security numbers in outgoing written correspondence and
20   interdepartmental correspondence by either not including a social security number at all
21   or using only the last 4 digits of a social security number. Notwithstanding any provision
22   of law to the contrary, the policy created pursuant to this section does not constitute
23   rulemaking under the Maine Administrative Procedure Act.'

SUMMARY

25   This amendment replaces the bill with a resolve that requires the Department of
26   Administrative and Financial Services to create a policy to provide guidance to state
27   agencies to limit their use of social security numbers in outgoing written correspondence
28   and interdepartmental correspondence by either not including a social security number at
29   all or using only the last 4 digits of a number.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT