

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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No. 1028

H.P. 762

House of Representatives, March 10, 2011

### **An Act To Ensure Open and Transparent Bidding for the Lowest Electric Rates**

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Reference to the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather J.R. Priest".

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST  
Clerk

Presented by Representative DUNPHY of Embden.  
Cosponsored by Senator THOMAS of Somerset and  
Representatives: BLACK of Wilton, CRAFTS of Lisbon, DAVIS of Sangerville, LIBBY of  
Waterboro, LONG of Sherman, McCLELLAN of Raymond, TIMBERLAKE of Turner,  
WOOD of Sabattus.

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 establish a framework and process that will ensure that  
6               ratepayers in this State do not bear an undue burden for electrical energy development  
7               costs by requiring an open and transparent bidding process for electricity and the  
8               establishment of rates.