

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 548

House of Representatives, March 5, 2013

### An Act To Strengthen Basic Telephone Service

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

*Millicent M. MacFarland*  
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND  
Clerk

Presented by Representative DAUGHTRY of Brunswick.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: BERRY of Bowdoinham, BROOKS of Winterport,  
PEOPLES of Westbrook, THERIAULT of Madawaska, TREAT of Hallowell, WERTS of  
Auburn.

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 strengthen basic telephone service in order to ensure that all  
6 consumers have access to a certain minimum level of telecommunications service that is  
7 adequate to meet the needs of consumers, reliable and affordable.