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S.P. 624

In Senate, December 23, 2013

An Act To Extend the Date for a Business in a Tier 2 Location To Qualify for Pine Tree Development Zone Benefits

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Received by the Secretary of the Senate on December 23, 2013. Referred to the Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BOYLE of Cumberland.

Cosponsored by Senators: PATRICK of Oxford, SAVIELLO of Franklin, Representatives: FARNSWORTH of Portland, GATTINE of Westbrook, KRUGER of Thomaston, PEOPLES of Westbrook.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §5250-J, sub-§5**, as repealed and replaced by PL 2009, c.
3 461, §22, is amended to read:

4 **5. Termination.** A qualified Pine Tree Development Zone business located in a tier
5 1 location or a tier 2 location may not be certified under this subchapter after December
6 31, 2018, ~~and a qualified Pine Tree Development Zone business located in a tier 2~~
7 ~~location may not be certified under this subchapter after December 31, 2013.~~ All Pine
8 Tree Development Zone benefits provided under this subchapter are terminated on
9 December 31, 2028.

10 **Sec. 2. Retroactivity.** That section of this Act that amends the Maine Revised
11 Statutes, Title 30-A, section 5250-J, subsection 5 applies retroactively to December 31,
12 2013.

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill extends until December 31, 2018 the ability of a business located in a tier 2
15 Pine Tree Development Zone to be certified to receive Pine Tree Development Zone
16 benefits. Currently, the expiration for such certification in tier 2 is December 31, 2013
17 and in tier 1 is December 31, 2018.