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An Act To Clarify the Confidentiality of Wood Processor Report Information

Submitted by the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry pursuant to Joint Rule 204.

Received by the Secretary of the Senate on December 23, 2013. Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D M Grant'.

DAREK M. GRANT
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Representative WILSON of Augusta and
Representatives: GIFFORD of Lincoln, MAREAN of Hollis.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §8884, sub-§3**, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 555, §12 and affected
3 by c. 600, Pt. B, §11, is amended to read:

4 **3. Confidentiality.** ~~Volume~~ All information contained in these reports is
5 confidential and ~~shall~~ may not be made public except that summary reports may be
6 published that use aggregated data ~~which~~ that do not reveal the activities of an individual
7 person or firm.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill clarifies that all information, not just volume information, submitted by
10 wood processing facilities annually to the Department of Agriculture, Conservation and
11 Forestry, Maine Forest Service is confidential.