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House of Representatives, January 13, 2015

An Act To Amend the Laws Regarding Signs on Interstate Highways in Maine

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative ESPLING of New Gloucester.
Cosponsored by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin and
Representative: McCLELLAN of Raymond.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §1912-C, sub-§5, ¶¶F and G,** as enacted by PL 2013, c. 549,
3 §3, are amended to read:

4 F. A transportation facility if signs for the facility significantly benefit the
5 transportation system; ~~and~~

6 G. A veterans, police or firefighters memorial that is located within 20 miles of an
7 exit; and

8 **Sec. 2. 23 MRSA §1912-C, sub-§5, ¶H** is enacted to read:

9 H. A cultural destination or historic destination that is located within 10 miles of an
10 exit if that cultural destination or historic destination had a sign prior to August 1,
11 2014. For the purposes of this paragraph, "historic destination" includes but is not
12 limited to a destination listed on the National Register of Historic Places or listed as a
13 national historic landmark and "cultural destination" includes but is not limited to a
14 museum.

15 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill allows for directional signs on interstate highways in Maine for a destination
17 that is within 10 miles of the highway if the destination is cultural or historic and had a
18 sign on those roads prior to August 1, 2014.