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House of Representatives, January 2, 2019

An Act To Increase Juror Compensation

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative BAILEY of Saco. Cosponsored by Representative: CARDONE of Bangor, Senators: BELLOWS of Kennebec, LAWRENCE of York.

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

Sec. 1. 14 MRSA §1215, as amended by PL 2015, c. 267, Pt. PPP, §1, is further
amended to read:

4 §1215. Mileage and compensation of jurors

A juror is entitled to paid mileage at the rate of 15¢ per mile for travel expenses from the juror's residence to the place of holding court and return, except that, beginning July 1, 2016, a juror is entitled to paid mileage at the rate established in Title 5, section 8. A juror is entitled to compensation at the rate of \$15 \$40 for each day of required attendance at sessions of the court.

10 SUMMARY

11 This bill increases a juror's daily compensation rate from \$15 to \$40.