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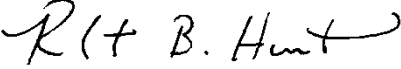
No. 108

H.P. 90

House of Representatives, January 17, 2019

An Act To Protect Historic Places and Structures on the Federal Aid Highway System

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.


ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative HANLEY of Pittston.
Cosponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln and
Representatives: GROHOSKI of Ellsworth, MAREAN of Hollis, REED of Carmel, STEARNS
of Guilford, WADSWORTH of Hiram.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §709** is enacted to read:

3 **§709. Historic preservation**

4 Any construction or maintenance of a highway that receives federal funds under
5 section 57 or is a federal aid highway under this Title must comply with the National
6 Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and any supporting federal regulations if the
7 construction or maintenance involves or affects a structure or place listed on the National
8 Register of Historic Places.

9 **SUMMARY**

10 This bill requires the Department of Transportation to comply with the National
11 Historic Preservation Act when performing construction or maintenance on a federal aid
12 highway that involves or affects a structure or place listed on the National Register of
13 Historic Places.