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Resolve, To Effect Economies of Scale in Maine's Transportation Funding

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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ROBERT B. HUNT Clerk

Presented by Representative McLEAN of Gorham. Cosponsored by Representatives: BERRY of Bowdoinham, PERKINS of Oakland. 1 Sec. 1. Report. Resolved: That the Department of Transportation and the Maine 2 Turnpike Authority shall study their holdings and operations and propose reorganizations effecting efficiencies in both the department and the authority leading to economies of 3 scale within the State's transportation funding regime. The department and the authority 4 shall report to the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation the results of their study 5 and any suggested legislation by January 15, 2020. The joint standing committee may 6 report out a bill regarding the report to the Second Regular Session of the 129th 7 Legislature. 8

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SUMMARY

10 This resolve directs the Department of Transportation and the Maine Turnpike Authority to study their holdings and operations and propose reorganizations effecting 11 efficiencies in both the department and the authority leading to economies of scale within 12 the State's transportation funding regime. The department and the authority are directed 13 to report to the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation the results of their study and 14 any suggested legislation by January 15, 2020. The joint standing committee is 15 authorized to report out a bill regarding the report to the Second Regular Session of the 16 129th Legislature. 17