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An Act To Authorize an Additional Position in the Office of the Public Advocate

Submitted by the Office of the Public Advocate pursuant to Joint Rule 204. Reference to the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology suggested and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator LAWRENCE of York. Cosponsored by Senator: WOODSOME of York, Representatives: RILEY of Jay, RYKERSON of Kittery.

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

Sec. 1. 35-A MRSA §116, sub-§8, ¶B, as amended by PL 1999, c. 259, §3, is
further amended to read:

B. The Public Advocate may use the revenues provided in accordance with this section to fund the Public Advocate and 9 <u>10</u> employees and to defray the costs incurred by the Public Advocate pursuant to this Title, including administrative expenses, general expenses, consulting fees and all other reasonable costs incurred to administer this Title.

9 SUMMARY

10 This bill allows the Public Advocate to hire an additional employee.