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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 93, L.D. 137, "An Act Regarding
Absence from Work for Emergency Response"

Amend the bill by inserting before section 1 the following:

'Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §809, sub-§6, as amended by PL 2019, c. 218, §1, is further
amended to read:

6. Designation as essential. Upon receiving notice of an employee's firefighter status
as a firefighter or emergency medical services person, an employer may designate the
employee essential to the employer's operations when the absence of the employee would
cause significant disruption of the employer's business. This designation must be made in
writing and signed by both the employee and employer.'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment corrects a technical error in current law.