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L.D. 1815

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Date: 2/26/24

(Filing No. H-771)

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**INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC ADVANCEMENT AND  
BUSINESS**

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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**131ST LEGISLATURE**

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**SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1161, L.D. 1815, "An Act to Protect  
Maine's Consumers by Establishing an Abuse of Dominance Right of Action and Requiring  
Notification of Mergers"

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Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

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**'An Act to Increase Penalties for Violations of the Law Governing Monopolies and  
Profiteering'**

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Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1.

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Amend the bill by striking out all of section 6.

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

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**SUMMARY**

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This amendment removes the provision of the bill requiring premerger notification to  
the Attorney General and removes the provision of the bill establishing a right of action  
based on abuse of dominance.

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**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

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(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1815

LR 261(02)

**An Act to Protect Maine's Consumers by Establishing an Abuse of Dominance Right of Action and Requiring Notification of Mergers**

**Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment 'A' (H-77)**  
**Committee: Innovation, Development, Economic Advancement and Business**  
**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor revenue increase - General Fund

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

The increased cap on monetary penalties for certain antitrust laws will increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.