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**STATE OF MAINE  
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1465, L.D. 2177, "An Act to Update and Improve the MaineCare Reimbursement System"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 3 by striking out all of paragraph G (page 2, lines 6 to 8 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

'G. Establish that nursing facility reimbursement will be rebased for rates effective January 1, 2028, and thereafter rebasing must occur in accordance with section 3173-J.'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph A in subparagraph (1) in the first line (page 3, line 25 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "website" the following: 'including the date of the most recent rate review and any discussion of issues related to member access by section of MaineCare policy and a description of how the most recent rate review and discussion of issues related to member access impacted the proposed and final rate determination schedule'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph C in subparagraph (6) in the 3rd line (page 5, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "; and" and inserting the following: ','

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph C in subparagraph (6) in the 6th line (page 5, line 8 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "; and" and inserting the following: ','

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph C in subparagraph (6) in the last line (page 5, line 10 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "determination;" the following: 'and report on the overall fiscal cost associated with implementation under this subparagraph.'

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph D in subparagraph (3) in the 2nd line (page 5, line 25 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and subject to available funds as set forth in subsection 4."

Amend the bill in section 3 in §3173-J in subsection 2 in paragraph D in subparagraph (3) by inserting after division (b), subdivision (ii) the following:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

