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Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Bishop of Sagadahoc.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

RESOLVE, Creating an Interim Committee to Study the Tribal Rights and Needs of the Indians.

Interim committee, created. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, created an interim committee to study the tribal rights and needs of the Indians in the state, to be composed of 5 members, 2 on the part of the senate, to be appointed by the president thereof, and 3 on the part of the house, to be appointed by the speaker thereof.

This committee shall study the original treaties and the laws appertaining to the Indian tribes, and shall investigate the practical application of the said laws, and report to the 93rd legislature its recommendations of the laws necessary to clarify the laws relating to Indians.

The members of the committee shall be compensated for the time spent in attendance at meetings of the committee at the rate of \$5 per day and actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.