

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE**

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**Augusta, Maine**  
**2011**

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**RESOLVES OF THE STATE OF MAINE  
AS PASSED AT  
THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION OF THE  
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE  
2011**

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**CHAPTER 1  
H.P. 16 - L.D. 24**

**Resolve, To Name Part of  
Route 2 in the Town of Lincoln  
and the Town of Winn the  
Master Sergeant Gary Gordon  
Highway**

**Sec. 1. Master Sergeant Gary Gordon Highway. Resolved:** That the part of Route 2 from Frost Street in the Town of Lincoln to the East Winn Road in the Town of Winn be named the Master Sergeant Gary Gordon Highway.

See title page for effective date.

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**CHAPTER 2  
H.P. 29 - L.D. 36**

**Resolve, To Deauthorize the  
Naming of the Bridge over  
Pattagumpus Stream**

**Emergency preamble. Whereas,** acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** Resolve 2009, chapter 160 gave the Department of Transportation the authority to designate the new bridge over Pattagumpus Stream in the Town of Medway; and

**Whereas,** the wrong bridge was named in the resolve; and

**Whereas,** it is imperative that the directive to the Department of Transportation be revoked as soon as possible; and

**Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Sec. 1. Resolve 2009, c. 160, repealed. Resolved:** That Resolve 2009, c. 160 is repealed.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.

Effective March 1, 2011.

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**CHAPTER 3  
H.P. 18 - L.D. 26**

**Resolve, To Name a Bridge  
over the Kennebec River  
between the Town of Benton  
and the Town of Fairfield the  
Brian L. Buker/Frank W.  
Haskell Medal of Honor Bridge**

**Sec. 1. Bridge named. Resolved:** That the Department of Transportation shall designate Bridge 3106 over the Kennebec River between the Town of Benton and the Town of Fairfield the Brian L. Buker/Frank W. Haskell Medal of Honor Bridge.

See title page for effective date.

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**CHAPTER 4  
H.P. 7 - L.D. 15**

**Resolve, Regarding Legislative  
Review of Chapter 285:  
Adjustment of Non-bank  
Mortgage Lending Fees, a  
Major Substantive Rule of the  
Department of Professional  
and Financial Regulation**

**Emergency preamble. Whereas,** acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and

**Whereas,** the above-named major substantive rule has been submitted to the Legislature for review; and

**Whereas,** immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule; and

**Whereas**, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved:** That final adoption of Chapter 285: Adjustment of Non-bank Mortgage Lending Fees, a provisionally adopted major substantive rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation that has been submitted to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.

Effective March 21, 2011.

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**CHAPTER 5**  
**H.P. 6 - L.D. 14**

**Resolve, Regarding Legislative  
Review of the Final Repeal of  
Chapter 270: Adjustment of  
Volume Fees, a Major  
Substantive Rule of the  
Department of Professional  
and Financial Regulation**

**Emergency preamble. Whereas**, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas**, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted, amended, suspended or repealed by the agency; and

**Whereas**, the repeal of the above-named major substantive rule has been submitted to the Legislature for review; and

**Whereas**, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the Legislature's position on final repeal of the rule; and

**Whereas**, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preserva-

tion of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Sec. 1. Repeal. Resolved:** That final repeal of Chapter 270: Adjustment of Volume Fees, a provisionally repealed major substantive rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation that has been submitted to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.

Effective March 24, 2011.

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**CHAPTER 6**  
**H.P. 4 - L.D. 12**

**Resolve, Regarding Legislative  
Review of Portions of Chapter  
131: The Maine Federal, State  
and Local Accountability  
Standards, a Major  
Substantive Rule of the  
Department of Education**

**Emergency preamble. Whereas**, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas**, the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A requires legislative authorization before major substantive agency rules may be finally adopted by the agency; and

**Whereas**, the above-named major substantive rule has been submitted to the Legislature for review; and

**Whereas**, immediate enactment of this resolve is necessary to record the Legislature's position on final adoption of the rule; and

**Whereas**, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Sec. 1. Adoption. Resolved:** That final adoption of portions of Chapter 131: The Maine Federal, State and Local Accountability Standards, a provisionally adopted major substantive rule of the Department of Education that has been submitted to the Legislature for review pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A, is authorized.