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TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

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**CHAPTER 100
S.P. 623 - L.D. 1632**

**Resolve, Directing the
Commissioner of Defense,
Veterans and Emergency
Management To Request the
Federal Government To
Recognize Environmental
Hazards at the Military
Training Center in Gagetown,
New Brunswick and the
Resulting Health Risks and
Disabilities Suffered by Certain
Members of the Maine
National Guard**

Sec. 1. Request to United States Department of Veterans Affairs. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management shall request the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to recognize the environmental hazards present at the 5th Canadian Division Support Base in Gagetown, New Brunswick, Canada, and the resulting potential health risks and disabilities to veterans who, as members of the Maine National Guard, trained in partnership with Canadian military forces at the 5th Canadian Division Support Base in Gagetown; and be it further

Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That, no later than January 10, 2015, the Commissioner of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management, or the commissioner's designee, shall report to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over veterans and legal affairs on the status of the request submitted to the United States Department of Veterans Affairs pursuant to section 1 and include a summary of any correspondence regarding these issues to and from the State's congressional delegation.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 101
H.P. 1272 - L.D. 1774**

**Resolve, Regarding Legislative
Review of Portions of Chapter
115: Certification,
Authorization and Approval of
Education Personnel, a
Late-filed 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 outside the legislative rule acceptance period; 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 115: Certification, Authorization and Approval of Education Personnel, 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 outside the legislative rule acceptance period, is authorized only if the following change is made:

1. The rule must be amended in Part II, Section 3.1.B.1.f.2 to clarify that the 4 approved pedagogical courses that may be part of an alternative pathway for the endorsement of a secondary career and technical education teacher must cover collectively the following subject matter: curriculum and instruction; assessment; career and technical education shop safety and classroom and lab management; and literacy in career and technical education.

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

Effective April 3, 2014.

**CHAPTER 102
H.P. 1274 - L.D. 1777**

**Resolve, To Amend the Resolve
To Promote the Expansion of
the Maine Maple Sugar
Industry**

Sec. 1. Resolve 2011, c. 132, §7, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 2011, c. 132, §7 is amended to read: