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**STATE OF MAINE  
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE  
APPENDIX OF THE SENATE**

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communications were received by the Secretary of the Senate during the interim and placed on file or with accompanying papers placed on file:

**COMMUNICATIONS**

S.C. 397

**STATE OF MAINE  
WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD**

June 18, 2000

The Honorable Michael H. Michaud  
Senate President  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Senator Michaud:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Workers' Compensation Board's Quarterly Compliance Report compiled for the fourth quarter of 2000.

The Workers' Compensation Board has also initiated an audit program to review the activity of insurance carriers, self-insureds, and third-party administrators pursuant to P.L. 1997, Chapter 486. A three-year audit cycle has been approved by the Board and audits are being conducted on a regular basis.

The Monitoring, Audit and Enforcement Program is already having a significant impact on compliance in the State of Maine and it is anticipated that this positive trend will continue to improve as envisioned by the Governor, the Legislature, and the Workers' Compensation Board as reflected in P.L. 1997, Chapter 486.

The Workers' Compensation Board is pleased with the results of the MAE Program and is convinced that the program bodes well for even better compliance in the future.

Sincerely,

S/Paul R. Dionne  
Executive Director

S.C. 398

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 19, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1391 as amended by HP 1393, I am pleased to appoint Senator Paul T. Davis, Sr. of Piscataquis County as Chair and Senator John L. Martin of Aroostook County to the Committee to Study Issues Concerning Changes to the Traditional Uses of Maine Forests and Lands.

Please let me know if you have any questions with these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 399

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 19, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolves 2001, Chapter 49, I am pleased to appoint Senator Beth Edmonds of Cumberland County as Chair and Senator Karl W. Turner of Cumberland County to the Study of Governance and Administrative Structure of the Workers' Compensation System.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 400

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 19, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 462, I am pleased to re-appoint Senator Chandler E. Woodcock of Franklin County as Chair and Senator John L. Martin of Aroostook County to the Commission to Study the Needs and Opportunities Associated with the Production of Salmonoid Sport Fish in Maine.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 401

July 20, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1385, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Committee to Review the Child Protective System.

Senator Karl W. Turner, Chair of Cumberland County  
Senator Anne M. Rand of Cumberland County  
Elinor Goldberg of the Maine Children's Alliance  
Karen Boston, Esq. Of Lipman and Katz, P.A.  
Maureen Dellane of Winterport, court-appointed special  
advocate volunteer

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 402

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 27, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1330 as amended by S-371, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Joint Study Committee to Study Growth Management.

Senator Lynn Bromley of Cumberland County as Chair  
Senator Christine Savage of Knox County  
Senator Sharon Anglin Treat of Kennebec County

Please let me know if you have any questions with these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 404

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 16, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1386, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Cost for Increasing Access to Family and Medical Leave for Maine Families.

Senator Beth Edmonds of Cumberland  
Joseph Derouche of Mexico representing municipal  
employers  
Mary Mayhew of Augusta representing employers in health  
care industry  
Ned McCann of Hallowell representing labor  
Laura Fortman of Augusta representing women's groups  
Paul Camp of Orono representing seniors  
David Brenerman of Portland representing employers of  
insurance industry

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 405

August 21, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to our authority under H.P. 182, L.D. 193, Section 2, we are pleased to appoint the following to the Task Force to Establish a Centralized Voter Registration List.

Dwayne Bickford of Hallowell representing Republican party official  
Mark Ellis of Augusta representing member of the public  
Kathy McGough of Eagle Lake representing member of the public  
Linda Cohen of Portland representing a large municipality

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S/Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate Pro Tem

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 406

August 22, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1389, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Businesses

and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Bottles.

Senator Norman Ferguson of Oxford County  
Peter Welch of Cape Elizabeth, Gregory R. Read of Westbrook and Marcel Blanchette of Lewiston representing owners or operators of bottle redemption centers  
Scott Solman of Bangor and Oakley Jones of South Portland representing beverage distributorships  
Dan Fortin of Augusta representing 3<sup>rd</sup> party collection agents

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 407

August 21, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under LD 853, P & S 2001, Ch. 36, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Commission to Study Assisted Living.

Senator Jill M. Goldthwait of Hancock, Chair  
Senator Richard Kneeland of Aroostook  
Senator Peggy Pendleton of Cumberland  
Senator Marge Kilkelly of Lincoln  
David W. Hall of Bath representing older persons  
Joseph Cloutier of Rockport representing assisted living services  
Tim Churchill of Norway representing providers of long-term care, including assisted living services  
Jan McCormick of Portland representing statewide organization investing in tax credit programs  
Bob Armstrong of Auburn representing assisted living service providers

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the appointments.

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 29, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Laws 2001, Ch. 439, Part ZZZ, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Health Care System and Health Security Board.

Senator John L. Martin of Aroostook County, Chair  
Senator Mary E. Small of Sagadahoc County  
Tammy Greaton of Portland representing statewide organization advocating universal health care  
Robert Downs of Portland representing statewide organization of health insurers  
Beth Kildreth, Ph.D. of Portland representing health care economists  
Richard Wexler, M.D. of Cape Elizabeth representing statewide organization of physicians  
Leo Siegel, M.D. of Penobscot representing small hospitals  
Marge Medd of Norway representing statewide organization of defending rights of children

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 7, 2001

S.C. 408

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under 38 MRSA, §551-A, I have re-appointed Mr. Walter A. Anderson of Yarmouth to the Oil Spill Advisory Committee.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 10, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333  
Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under LD 1454, Resolves 2001, Ch. 65, I am pleased to appoint the following to Study the Implementation of a Unified Emergency Response for Emergency Releases and Spills of Toxic or Hazardous Materials.

Senator Anne M. Rand of Cumberland as Chair  
Senator W. Tom Sawyer, Jr. of Penobscot  
Fire Chief Norman Cyr of Madawaska, representative of Maine Firefighters Association  
John Cannon of Portland, representative of Professional Firefighters of Maine  
Fire Chief Bill Hussey of Peru, representative of municipal government  
Michael Seavey of Plymouth, representative of private industry

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

S.C. 440

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 19, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Laws 2001, Ch. 439, Part SSS, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Education Funding Reform Committee:

Senator Richard Kneeland, Chair of Aroostook County  
Senator Peggy Rotundo of Androscoggin County  
Senator Kenneth F. Lemont of York County  
Senator S. Peter Mills of Somerset County

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 441

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 20, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 1999, Chapter 126, I am pleased to appoint Senator Neria Douglass of Androscoggin County to the Commission to Study Domestic Violence. She will be serving in the position vacated by Senator William O'Gara.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 442

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 24, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under LD 1797, Resolves 2001, Ch. 66, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Blue Ribbon Commission on Postsecondary Educational Attainment.

Senator Mary R. Cathcart, Chair of Penobscot County  
Senator Peggy Rotundo of Androscoggin County  
Susan Tuthill of Vassalboro representing statewide guidance counselors  
Mark L. Gray of Maine Education Association representing statewide labor organization  
Dana F. Connors of the Maine State Chamber of Commerce representing statewide business organization

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 443

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 25, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Joint Order, HP 1384, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Committee to Study the Loss of Commercial Fishing Waterfront Access and Other Economic Development Issues Affecting Commercial Fishing.

Senator Kenneth F. Lemont of York County  
Brian Beal of Machias representing fishing industry  
J. Douglass Guy III of Machias a public member



LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 501

S.C. 499

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

October 30, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under 5 MRSA, §13070-L, I am pleased to appoint Senator Kenneth T. Gagnon of Kennebec County and Senator Kevin L. Shorey of Washington County to the Economic Development Incentive Commission.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 500

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

October 30, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Laws 2001, Chapter 358, Part II, I am pleased to appoint Peter Geiger of Lewiston to the Advisory Board of the Maine Learning Technology Endowment.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

November 7, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Laws 2001, Chapter 439, Part PPPP, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Legislative Youth Advisory Council.

Senator Lynn Bromley of Cumberland County  
David Heidrich of Oxford representing youths in secondary schools  
Brenwin Soucie of Belgrade representing youths in secondary schools  
Matthew Hacket, Jr. of Dover-Foxcroft representing youths in secondary schools  
Megan Bernard of Oxford representing youths in secondary schools  
Matthew Cobb of Machias representing youths in secondary schools  
Melissa Simones of Turner representing youths in secondary schools  
Trevor Bragdon of Bangor representing students in postsecondary institutions  
Paul Brunetti of Lewiston representing students in postsecondary institutions  
Hannah Pennington of Appleton representing home school students

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael J. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 511

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

November 14, 2001

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under P.L. 1999, Chapter 731, Part BBBB, I am pleased to appoint the following to the Long-Term Care Implementation Committee.

Senator Peggy Pendleton of Cumberland County  
David Hall of Bath  
Richard Farrell of Bangor

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these appointments.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 512

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

November 26, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 1999, Chapter 126, I am pleased to appoint Senator Michael J. McAlevy of York County to the Commission to Study Domestic Violence. He will be serving in the position vacated by Senator Paul T. Davis.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 513

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

December 3, 2001

Joy J. O'Brien  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Secretary O'Brien:

Pursuant to my authority under 5 MRSA §20065, I am pleased to re-appoint Senator Beverly C. Daggett of Kennebec County to the Substance Abuse Services Commission.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this appointment.

Sincerely,

S/Michael H. Michaud  
President of the Senate

S.C. 744

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Peter Welch of RSVP Distributors, 168 Two Lights Road, Cape Elizabeth, Maine 04107 to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the representative of bottle redemption center.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 745

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Rick Erb of the Maine Healthcare Association, 317 State Street, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of a statewide organization representing long-term care providers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 746

120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 648, I am pleased to appoint Senator S. Peter Mills to the Community Preservation Advisory Committee as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 747

120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 649, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Tom Asbeck of Photoscience, 6 State St., Suite 100, Bangor, Maine 04401 to the Maine Library of Geographic Information Board as the public member.  
Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 748

120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under MRSA 34B, Chapter 15004, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Tonya Labbe, 226 Turner St., Auburn, Maine 04210 to the Children's Mental Health Oversight Committee as the representative of families whose children receive mental health services.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 749

120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Senator Betheda Edmonds to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Costs for Increasing Access to Family and Medical Leave for Maine Families as the Senate chair.

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Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 752

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 750

July 10, 2002

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Mr. David Cole of the Eastern Maine Development Corp, 1 Cumberland Plaza, Bangor, Maine 04401 to the Task Force on Rail Transportation as the representative of the Board of Directors of the Maine Port Authority.

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 89, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Greg Howat of the Eastern Maine Medical Center, 489 State St., Bangor, Maine 04401 to the Health Care Workforce Leadership Council as the representative of employers of skilled healthcare workers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 753

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 751

July 10, 2002

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 121, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Donald Farrell of Families First, 257A Water St., Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Commission on Fatherhood Issues as the the public member.

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 649, I am pleased to appoint Dr. James Paige, Post Office Box 433, Old Town, Maine 04468 to the Maine Library of Geographic Information Board as the representative of a private sector geographic information vendors.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

S.C. 754

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 89, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Jerry Ashlock of AFT-Maine, #116, 44 Industrial Drive, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Health Care Workforce Leadership Council as the representative of a labor organization of skilled health care workers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Senator John Martin to the Task Force on Rail Transportation.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 757

S.C. 755

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 648, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Jim Brown of the City of Presque Isle, 12 Second St., Presque Isle, Maine 04769 to the Community Preservation Advisory Committee as the representative of a rural municipal interest.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Joseph Derouche, 9 Kimball Street, Mexico, Maine 04257 to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Cost for Increasing Access to Family Medical Leave for Maine Families as the representative of municipal employers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 758

S.C. 756

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 637, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Kathleen McGough, Post Office Box 84, Eagle Lake, Maine 04739 to the Centralized Voter Registration Advisory Committee as the member of the public and a member of the Democrat Party.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 637, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Linda Cohen of the Portland City Hall, Clerk's Office, 389 Congress St., Portland, Maine 04101 to the Centralized Voter Registration Advisory Committee as the representative of a large municipality.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 759

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Laura Fortman of the Maine Women's Lobby, POB 15, Hallowell, Maine 04347 to the Committee to Continue to Study the Benefits and Costs for Increasing Access to Family and Medical Leave for Maine Families as the representative of woman's groups.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 760

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

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S.C. 761

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 648, I am pleased to appoint Senator Lynn Bromley to the Community Preservation Advisory Committee.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 762

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Marcel Blanchette of Blanchette's Store, 715 Webster Street, Lewiston, Maine 04240 to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the representative of a bottling redemption owner.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Senator Michael Brennan to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Ned McCann of the AFL-CIO, Post Office Box 1072, Augusta, Maine 04332 to the Blue Ribbon

Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of a statewide organization representing labor.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 765

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 121, I am pleased to appoint Senator Peggy Pendleton to the Commission on Fatherhood Issues.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 766

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 677, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Robert Ruhlin, Post Office Box 18, Kenduskeag, Maine 04450 to the Small Business Health Coverage Plan Board as the member representing organized labor.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 767

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Ryan Cliff of Elder Planning Advisors, 1006 Broadway, South Portland, Maine 04106 to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of providers of long-term care insurance.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Mark Walker of the Maine Bankers' Association, Post Office Box 735, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of a statewide organization representing financial institutions.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 770

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S.C. 768

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Scott Solman of Maine Distributors, 5 Coffey Street, Bangor, Maine 04401 to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the representative of beverage distributorships.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 648, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Peter Judkins of Franklin Savings Bank, P.O. Box 825, Farmington, Maine 04938 to the Community Preservation Advisory Committee as the representative of a statewide housing authority.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate



LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

S.C. 771

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Senator Margaret Rotundo to the Task Force on Rail Transportation.  
Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Senator Christine Savage to the Task Force on Rail Transportation.  
Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 774

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Dan Fortin of Capitol Container, Inc., 152 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the representative of third party collection agents.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 775

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 772

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Senator Betty Lou Mitchell to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 773

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Mr. David Brenerman of UNUM Provident, 2211 Congress Street, P318, Portland, Maine 04122-0545 to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Cost for Increasing Access to Family Medical Leave for Maine Families as the representative of employers in the insurance industry.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 776

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 648, I am pleased to appoint David Holt of Town of Norway, 26 Danforth St., Norway, Maine 04268 to the Community Preservation Advisory Committee as the representative of a service center municipal interest.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 777

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 637, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Dwayne Bickford of Maine Republican Party, 100 Water Street, Hallowell, Maine 04347 to the Centralized Voter Registration Advisory Committee as the representative of the Maine State Republican Party.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 778

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 649, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Ed Suslovic of Ed Suslovic Real Estate, P.O. Box 8493, Portland, Maine 04104 to the Maine Library of Geographic Information Board as the representative of a statewide real estate and development interests association.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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S.C. 779

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Senator Edward Youngblood to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the Senate chair.

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 780

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Mrs. Elaine Harriman of 4 Maura Ct., Waterville, Maine 04901 to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of a statewide organization representing business entities.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 781

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Greg Willard of the Northern Maine Regional Airport, 650 Airport Drive, Suite 11, Presque Isle, Maine 04769 to the Task Force on Rail Transportation as the representative of an airport integrated with an existing rail system.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 782

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 661, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Gregory Read of 302 Redemption Center, P.O. Box 902, Portland, Maine 04104-0902 to the Committee to Study Reimbursement Rates for Maine's Bottle Redemption Business and Other Issues Related to the Handling and Collection of Returnable Containers as the representative of bottle redemption center.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 783

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 89, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Helen McKinnon, President of the Organization of Maine Nurse Executives of Eastern Maine Medical Center, 489 State Street, Bangor, Maine 04401 to the Health Care Workforce Leadership Council as the representative of a professional organization of direct care skilled health care workers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 786

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 784

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Jean Dellert, Post Office Box 67, Gardiner, Maine 04345 to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Cost for Increasing Access to Family Medical Leave for Maine Families as the representative of senior citizens.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 785

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 114, I am pleased to appoint Dr. Laurel Coleman, 40 Glenridge Drive, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Blue Ribbon Commission to Address the Financing of Long-term Care as the representative of a statewide organization representing physicians.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 637, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Mark Ellis, 49 State Street, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Centralized Voter Registration Advisory Committee as the member of the public and a member of the Republican Party.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

S.C. 787

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 115, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Mary Mayhew of the Maine Hospital Association, 150 Capitol Street, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Committee to Study the Benefits and Cost for Increasing Access to Family Medical Leave for Maine Families as the representative of employers in health care industry.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

S.C. 788

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 121, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Michael Heath of the Christian Civic League of Maine, 70 Sewall Street, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Commission on Fatherhood Issues as the public member.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 677, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Michael Reed of Temm Reed & Associates, 23 Spring St., Scarborough, Maine 04074 to the Small Business Health Coverage Plan Board as the member representing the self-employed.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 791

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 120, I am pleased to appoint Senator Paul Davis to the Task Force on Rail Transportation as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 792

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

S.C. 790

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

S.C. 794

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 89, I am pleased to appoint Ms. Peggy Pinkham of Saint Andrews Hospital, 3 St. Andrews Lane, Post Office Box 417, Boothbay Harbor, Maine 04538 to the Health Care Workforce Leadership Council as the representative of employers of skilled healthcare workers.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 793

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 26, 2002

Secretary of the Senate  
Pamela L. Cahill  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

I am pleased to announce that on Tuesday, July 30, I will be awarding the July "President's Cornerstone Award for Business" to Frosty's Donuts in Brunswick. June and Robert Frost, who own the company, will accept the award at their donut and coffee shop on Maine Street in the presence of their employees.

The Frosts have owned Frosty's Donuts for 37 years. The longevity of their ownership and the quality product they produce make Frosty's perhaps the most recognizable business on Maine Street. The bakery has a long history of supporting non-profit organizations in and around Brunswick, such as the Tedford Shelter for homeless families and the Red Cross. They also sponsor local youth sports teams. The couple is very active in area churches and nursing homes and other charitable causes too numerous to mention. It is this civic involvement, along with their commitment to baking a quality product, that puts Frosty's at the forefront of Maine's unsung heroes.

Senator Beth Edmonds, who nominated the company for the award, and Representative Stan Gerzofsky will be on hand when the award is presented. June and Robert Frost represent what is best about Maine people, their work ethic and their community spirit. I am pleased to honor them for their investment in Maine's economy, its people, and our future.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 2, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 124, I am pleased to appoint Senator Jill Goldthwait to the Task Force to Study the Impact of a Maine-based Casino.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 795

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 124, I am pleased to appoint Senator Kevin Shorey to the Task Force to Study the Impact of a Maine-based Casino as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 796

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 113, I am pleased to appoint Senator Kenneth Gagnon to the Commission to Arrange for a Plaque or Plaques and a Flag or Flags to be Displayed in the Hall of Flags in the State House as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 124, I am pleased to appoint Mr. John Menario, 142 Royal Point Road, Yarmouth, Maine 04096 to the Task Force to Study the Impact of a Maine-based Casino as the representative of the public in support of a Maine-based casino.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 707, I am pleased to appoint Senator Betheda Edmonds to the Task Force to Study Methods of Addressing Inequities in the Retirement Benefits of State Employees and Teachers as the Senate chair.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 124, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Thomas Phillips of the Casco Bay Substance Abuse Resource Center, 205 Ocean Ave., Portland, Maine 04106 to the Task Force to Study the Impact of a Maine-based Casino as the representative of the public in opposition to a Maine-based casino.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

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120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

S.C. 797

S.C. 799

S.C. 798

S.C. 800

LEGISLATIVE RECORD - SENATE, APPENDIX

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 124, I am pleased to appoint Senator Chandler Woodcock to the Task Force to Study the Impact of a Maine-based Casino.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 801

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

July 10, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Resolve 2001, Chapter 113, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Donald Linscott of Veterans of Foreign Wars, 364 East Hardscrabble Road, Auburn, Maine 04211 to the Commission to Arrange for a Plaque or Placques and a Flag or Flags to be Displayed in the Hall of Flags in the State House as the public member.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 802

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 19, 2002

The Honorable Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Senate Rule 203, sub 5, I am rescinding Senator Michael McAlevey's appointment as Chairman and member of the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice. Consistent with the terms of the power sharing agreement, I am elevating Senator Paul Davis to Committee Chairman and am appointing Senator Christine Savage to serve as the second Republican on the Committee.

I am also rescinding Senator Michael McAlevey's appointment as a Republican member of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Senator Paul Davis has been appointed to replace him.

These changes are effective immediately.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 803

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 29, 2002

Secretary of the Senate  
Pamela L. Cahill  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

I am pleased to announce that today I will be awarding the August "President's Cornerstone Award for Business" to Kennebec Tool and Die in Augusta. Wick Johnson, who owns the company, will accept the award in the presence of many of his employees.

Mr. Johnson has owned Kennebec Tool and Die since 1984. The company specializes in the manufacturing of complex, high precision-machined components for high tech, military, and aerospace commercial applications. The company manufactures products for Boeing Aircraft and Curtis-Wright.

Kennebec Tool and Die also has a history of community involvement. It is an active member in organizations that help build a viable and healthy community, including the Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce, the United Way, and Maine Businesses for Social Responsibility. The company offers on the job training opportunities, along with full scholarships to technical college degree programs, and full reimbursement to employees who take continuing education courses in several fields of study.

Senator Beverly Daggett and Representative Charles Mitchell will be on hand when the award is presented. Mr. Johnson represents what is best about Maine people, their work ethic and their community spirit. I am pleased to honor him and his employees for their investment in Maine's economy, its people, and our future.



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Sincerely yours,

S/Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S/Representative Michael V. Saxl  
Speaker of the House

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**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

August 20, 2002

Hon. Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
Maine State Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Public Law 2001, Chapter 649, I am pleased to appoint Paul Mateosian of the City of Bath's Assessor's Office, 55 Front Street, Bath, Maine 04530 to the Maine Library of Geographic Information Board as the representative of a statewide association of municipalities.

Sincerely yours,

S/Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

**120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE  
SENATE OF MAINE  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT**

September 5, 2002

Honorable Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to my authority under Title 38, Section 1453A, I am pleased to re-appoint Mr. Stephen Jarrett, Post Office Box 383, Wiscasset, Maine 04578 to the Advisory Commission on Radioactive Waste and Decommissioning as the public member who is a representative of a local advisory group on nuclear power plants.

Sincerely yours,

S/Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate

S.C. 855

**STATE OF MAINE  
120<sup>TH</sup> LEGISLATURE**

September 5, 2002

Honorable Pamela Cahill  
Secretary of the Senate  
3 State House Station  
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear Secretary Cahill:

Pursuant to our authority under Title 34-B, Section 15004, we are pleased to appoint Ms. Ellie Goldberg of Maine Children's Alliance, 303 State Street, Augusta, Maine 04330 to the Children's Mental Health Oversight Committee as the representative of a statewide organization that advocates for children.

Sincerely yours,

S/Senator Richard A. Bennett  
President of the Senate