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COMMUNICATIONS

The Following Communication: (H.C. 476)

STATE OF MAINE

**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

October 10, 2006

The Honorable Beth Edmonds
President of the Senate of Maine
The Honorable John Richardson
Speaker of the House
122nd Maine Legislature
State House

Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the reappointment of Lauren Biczak of Saco, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS

Senators 2

Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock

Representatives 11

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Glynn of South Portland, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport, Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

NAYS 0

ABSENT 1 Sen. Martin of Aroostook

Thirteen members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Lauren Biczak of Saco, for reappointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
S/Arthur F. Mayo III
Senate Chair
S/Hannah Pingree
House Chair

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Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under

consideration the appointment of Kathy Boulet of Lewiston, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS

Senators 2

Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock

Representatives 9

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

NAYS 0

ABSENT 3 Rep. Glynn of South Portland, Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Eleven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Kathy Boulet of Lewiston, for appointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
S/Arthur F. Mayo III
Senate Chair
S/Hannah Pingree
House Chair

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Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the reappointment of Charles Morrison of Auburn, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS

Senators 2

Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock

Representatives 10

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Glynn of South Portland, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

NAYS 0

ABSENT 2 Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Twelve members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Charles Morrison of Auburn, for reappointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
S/Arthur F. Mayo III
Senate Chair
S/Hannah Pingree
House Chair

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Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the appointment of James Case of Yarmouth, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS
Senators 2
Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock
Representatives 8

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

NAYS 0
ABSTAIN 1 Rep. Grose of Woolwich
ABSENT 3 Rep. Glynn of South Portland, Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Ten members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of James Case of Yarmouth, for appointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
S/Arthur F. Mayo III
Senate Chair
S/Hannah Pingree
House Chair

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 480)

**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

October 10, 2006
The Honorable Beth Edmonds
President of the Senate of Maine
The Honorable John Richardson
Speaker of the House

122nd Maine Legislature
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the appointment of Dr. Stephen Gefvert of Cumberland Foreside, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS
Senators 2
Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock
Representatives 9

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

NAYS 0
ABSENT 3 Rep. Glynn of South Portland, Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Eleven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Dr. Stephen Gefvert of Cumberland Foreside, for appointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
S/Arthur F. Mayo III
Senate Chair
S/Hannah Pingree
House Chair

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**STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
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October 10, 2006
The Honorable Beth Edmonds
President of the Senate of Maine
The Honorable John Richardson
Speaker of the House
122nd Maine Legislature
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the reappointment of David White of Bar Harbor, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS
Senators 2
Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock
Representatives 10

Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Glynn of South Portland, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0002

NAYS 0
 ABSENT 2 Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Twelve members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of David White of Bar Harbor, for reappointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
 S/Arthur F. Mayo III
 Senate Chair
 S/Hannah Pingree
 House Chair

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 482)

**STATE OF MAINE
 ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE
 COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

October 10, 2006
 The Honorable Beth Edmonds
 President of the Senate of Maine
 The Honorable John Richardson
 Speaker of the House
 122nd Maine Legislature
 State House
 Augusta, Maine 04333-0003

Dear Madame President and Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with 24-A MRSA, § 6952, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services has had under consideration the appointment of Maureen Kenney of Brunswick, to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council.

After discussion on this appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote on the motion to approve with the following result:

YEAS
 Senators 2
 Mayo of Sagadahoc, Rosen of Hancock
 Representatives 9
 Burns of Berwick, Campbell of Newfield, Grose of Woolwich, Lewin of Eliot, Miller of Somerville, Pingree of North Haven, Shields of Auburn, Walcott of Lewiston, Webster of Freeport

NAYS 0
 ABSENT 3 Rep. Glynn of South Portland, Sen. Martin of Aroostook, Rep. Sockalexis of the Penobscot Nation

Eleven members of the Committee having voted in the affirmative and none in the negative, it was the vote of the Committee that the nomination of Maureen Kenney of Brunswick, for appointment to the Maine Quality Forum Advisory Council be approved.

Signed,
 S/Arthur F. Mayo III
 Senate Chair
 S/Hannah Pingree
 House Chair

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 486)

**STATE OF MAINE
 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
 SPEAKER'S OFFICE**

December 5, 2006
 Honorable Millicent M. MacFarland
 Clerk of the House
 2 State House Station
 Augusta, ME 04333-0002
 Dear Clerk MacFarland:
 Pursuant to my authority, I have appointed the following members to serve on boards, committees, commissions, task forces, councils and subcommittees:
 Joint Select Committee on Research, Economic Development and the Innovation Economy, Joint Order SP 847
 Representative Emily Ann Cain of Orono, co-chair
 Representative Walter E. Ash, Jr. of Belfast
 Representative Jeremy Fischer of Presque Isle
 Representative Nancy E. Smith of Monmouth
 Representative Judd D. Thompson of China
 Representative Thomas R. Watson of Bath
 Representative William P. Browne of Vassalboro
 Representative Christopher Rector of Thomaston
 Representative Patrick S. A. Flood of Winthrop
 Representative Kimberley C. Rosen of Bucksport
 Right to Know Advisory Committee, 1 MRSA, §411, P.L. 2005, Ch. 631
 Representative Deborah L. Simpson of Auburn
 Ralph Stetson of Auburn
 Suzanne Goucher of Manchester
 Chris Spruce of Ellsworth (reappointment)
 Mal Leary of Augusta (reappointment)
 InforME Board, 1 MRSA, §534
 Richard Trahey of Dresden
 Legislative Youth Advisory Council, 5 MRSA, §168-A
 Meghan Brewer of Boothbay Harbor (reappointment)
 Benjamin Goodman of Kennebunk
 Brandon Mazer of Brunswick
 Dave O'Heir of Waterville
 Maine Library of Geographic Information Board, 5 MRSA, Chapter 2003
 Gretchen Heldman of Bangor
 Ken Murchison, Jr. of Caribou
 State Emergency Response Commission, 37-B MRSA, §792
 William Hussey of Peru
 Governor's Task Force on the Sustainability of Dairy Industry in Maine, P. L. 2003, Chapter 648
 Representative John F. Piotti of Unity
 Representative Donald G. Marean of Hollis
 Commission to Study Henderson Brook Bridge in the Allagash Wilderness Waterway, P.L. 2005, Chapter 598
 Representative Troy D. Jackson of Fort Kent, co-chair
 Representative Theodore S. Koffman of Bar Harbor
 Representative Henry L. Joy of Crystal
 Maine Food Policy Council, P.L. 2005, Chapter 614
 Representative John F. Piotti of Unity
 Representative James J. Campbell, Sr. of Newfield
 Subcommittee to Study Early Childhood Special Education, P.L. 2005, Chapter 662, Part C
 Rob Hatch of Windham, (reappointment) co-chair
 Representative Elaine Makas of Lewiston
 Representative Vaughn A. Stedman of Hartland
 Maine Energy Council, P.L. 2005, Chapter 677, Part D
 Representative Herbert Adams of Portland
 Representative Kenneth C. Fletcher of Winslow
 Commission to Study Eliminating the Normal Retirement Age for Corrections Officers and Mental Health Workers, Resolves 2005, Chapter 181

Representative John L. Tuttle, Jr. of Sanford, co-chair
Representative Herbert E. Clark of Millinocket
Representative Richard M. Sykes of Harrison
Dell Clarkson of Bangor
Scott Burnheimer of Gorham
Human Trafficking Task Force, Resolves 2005, Chapter 200
Laurent F. Gilbert, Sr. of Lewiston
Juan Perez-Febles of Portland
Elizabeth Ward Saxl of Manchester
Sincerely,
S/John Richardson
Speaker of the House

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 483)
MAINE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
51 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0051

November 2, 2006
The Honorable John Richardson, Speaker
Maine House of Representatives
2 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear Speaker Richardson:

On behalf of the Commissioners of the Maine Human Rights Commission, I am please to transmit the 2006 Annual Report of the Maine Human Rights Commission.

We look forward to continuing to work with you in ensuring and protection basic human rights for all Maine citizens.

Sincerely,
S/Patricia E. Ryan
Executive Director

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 484)
MAINE CITIZEN TRADE POLICY COMMISSION
Senator Margaret Rotundo, Co-Chair
Representative John Patrick, Co-Chair

October 31, 2006
The Honorable Beth Edmonds, President
Maine Senate
The Honorable John Richardson, Speaker
Maine House of Representatives
Maine State Legislature
State House
Augusta, ME 04333

Dear President Edmonds and Speaker Richardson:
Pursuant to Public Law 2003, c. 699, the Citizen Trade Policy Commission is pleased to submit its annual report. Copies of the report have been placed on file with the Law and Legislative Reference Library.

Sincerely,
S/Senator Margaret Rotundo
Senate Chair
S/Representative John Patrick
House Chair

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 485)
TASK FORCE TO STUDY CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION, DETECTION AND EDUCATION

November 17, 2006
The Honorable Beth Edmonds, President
Maine State Senate
The Honorable John Richardson, Speaker
Maine House of Representatives
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Edmonds and Speaker Richardson:
Pursuant to Resolves 2005, Chapter 121, the Task Force to Study Cervical Cancer Prevention, Detection and Education is pleased to submit its final report, including recommended legislation. Copies of the report have been placed on file with the Law and Legislative Reference Library.

Sincerely,
S/Senator Nancy B. Sullivan
Senate Chair
S/Representative Lisa T. Marraché
House Chair

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The Following Communication: (H.C. 487)
MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE
AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333
COMMISSION TO STUDY THE COST OF PROVIDING CERTAIN SERVICES IN THE UNORGANIZED TERRITORIES

December 1, 2006
Senate President Beth Edmonds
House Speaker John Richardson
122nd Maine State Legislature
Augusta, Maine 04333

Dear President Edmonds and Speaker Richardson:
Pursuant to Resolves 2005, Chapter 125, the Commission to Study the Cost of Providing Certain Services in the Unorganized Territories is pleased to submit its final report including recommended legislation. Copies of the report have been placed on file with the Law and Legislative Reference Library.

Sincerely,
S/Rep. Robert Duplessie
House Chair
S/Senator Bruce Bryant
Senate Chair

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The Following Communication: (S.C. 742)
MAINE SENATE
122ND LEGISLATURE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

September 11, 2006
Honorable John Richardson
Speaker of the House
2 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0002
Dear Speaker Richardson:

In accordance with Joint Rule 506 of the 122nd Maine Legislature, please be advised that the Senate today confirmed the following nominations:

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry:

- Michael Wiers of St. Albans for reappointment to the Maine Milk Commission;
- Stanley P. Kuklinski of Farmington, for reappointment to the Maine State Harness Racing Commission.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development:

- James O. Donnelly of Brewer,, for reappointment to the Loring Development Authority of Maine;
- Maynard D. St. Peter of Caribou,, for appointment to the Loring Development Authority of Maine;
- Janine Bisailon-Cary of Cape Elizabeth,, for appointment as the Director of the Maine International Trade Commission.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs:

- George H. Entwistle of Cape Elizabeth,, for appointment to the School Board of the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf;
- Elizabeth C. Warren of Bangor,, for appointment to the Maine Maritime Academy Board of Trustees.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Wildlife:

- Stephen C. Philbrick of Oquossoc,, for appointment to the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Advisory Council;
- Raymond H. Poulin, Jr. of Ripley,, for reappointment to the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Advisory Council;
- Michael J. Witte of New Harbor,, for appointment to the Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Advisory Council.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs:

- Michael P. Friedman of Bangor,, for appointment to the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices.

Sincerely,
S/Joy J. O'Brien
Secretary of the Senate

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