

## **126th MAINE LEGISLATURE**

## **FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2013**

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S.P. 326	In Senate, March 12, 2013

An Act To Promote the Installation of Masonry Stoves

Reference to the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology suggested and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator JOHNSON of Lincoln. Cosponsored by Representative McCABE of Skowhegan and Senators: BOYLE of Cumberland, JACKSON of Aroostook, PATRICK of Oxford, Representatives: AYOTTE of Caswell, BOLAND of Sanford, NADEAU of Fort Kent.

## 1 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 35-A MRSA §10153, sub-§8, as enacted by PL 2009, c. 591, §1, is
amended to read:

4 8. Renewable energy installation. "Renewable energy installation" means a fixture, product, system, device or interacting group of devices installed behind the meter at a 5 qualifying property, or on contiguous property under common ownership, that produces 6 7 energy or heat from renewable sources, including, but not limited to, photovoltaic systems, solar thermal systems, biomass systems, landfill gas to energy systems, 8 9 geothermal systems, wind systems, masonry stoves, wood pellet systems and any other systems eligible for funding under federal Qualified Energy Conservation Bonds or 10 federal Clean Renewable Energy Bonds. 11

## 12 SUMMARY

This bill provides that renewable energy installations under the Efficiency Maine
Trust Act include masonry stoves.