

***Task Force on Changes to
the Maine Indian Claims Settlement Implementing Act***

Wednesday, December 18, 2019

State House Room 438 (JUD Committee Room)

10:00 a.m.

1. **Welcome and Introductions**, Senate Chair Mike Carpenter and House Chair Donna Bailey
2. **Opening Comments**, Task Force

10:30 a.m.

3. **Phone Presentation by Suffolk University School of Law Human Rights and Indigenous Peoples Clinic regarding Section 1735(b) of the Settlement Act**, Suffolk University Staff

11:00 a.m.

4. **Potential Discussion Topics (order subject to change)**, Task Force
 - **Review of Recommendations from December 5 Meeting**
 - **Alternative Dispute Resolution** (no chart)
 - **Suggestions for requested changes to federal law** (no chart)
 - Section 1725(h) (Section 16(b) of the Settlement Act)
 - Section 1735(b) (Section 6(h) of the Settlement Act)
 - **Trust Land Acquisition** (no chart)
 - **Taxation**
 - **Gaming**
 - **Healthcare and Social Services**
 - **Education**
5. **Vote on Recommendations**, Task Force
6. **Other Business**, Task Force
7. **Discussion- Report and Next Steps**