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In Senate, March 19, 2015

An Act To Extend Options for Publicly Funded Projects

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather J.R. Priest".

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CUSHING of Penobscot.
Cosponsored by Representative BICKFORD of Auburn and
Senators: BRAKEY of Androscoggin, MASON of Androscoggin, President THIBODEAU of
Waldo, VOLK of Cumberland, WILLETTE of Aroostook, Representatives: LOCKMAN of
Amherst, STETKIS of Canaan, WARD of Dedham.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §1316, first ¶**, as enacted by PL 2011, c. 463, §3, is amended
3 to read:

4 This section applies to public works contracts entered into by the Department of
5 Transportation, the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of
6 General Services and the Maine Turnpike Authority for the construction, repair or
7 improvement of roads, highways, bridges, streets or alleys or entered into, awarded or
8 renewed by a public authority from October 1, 2011 to October 1, ~~2015~~ 2025.

9 **SUMMARY**

10 This bill extends the provision of law regarding the award of public works contracts
11 without regard to agreements with labor organizations by 10 years to October 1, 2025.