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House of Representatives, January 6, 2016

An Act To Amend the Quorum Requirements That Apply to the Citizen Trade Policy Commission

Reported by Representative HERBIG of Belfast for the Citizen Trade Policy Commission pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 11, subsection 9, paragraph F.

Reference to the Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development suggested and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 218.

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1	De it enacted by the reopie of the State of Maine as follows.
2	Sec. 1. 10 MRSA §12, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 266, §4, is amended to read:
3	§12. Quorum
4 5 6	For purposes of holding a meeting, a quorum is $\frac{11}{9}$ members. A quorum must be present to start a meeting but not to continue or adjourn a meeting. For purposes o voting, a quorum is $\frac{9}{7}$ voting members.
7	SUMMARY
8 9 10	This bill changes the minimum number of members of the Citizen Trade Policy Commission necessary to hold a meeting from 11 to 9 members, and the minimum number of members necessary for purposes of voting from 9 to 7 members.