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An Act To Require the Maine Turnpike Authority To Promote Maine Products and Businesses

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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JOSEPH G. CARLETON, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator RECTOR of Knox.

Cosponsored by Representative VOLK of Scarborough and

Senators: ALFOND of Cumberland, COLLINS of York, COURTNEY of York, LANGLEY of
Hancock, SAVIELLO of Franklin, SNOWE-MELLO of Androscoggin, TRAHAN of Lincoln,
Representative: McKANE of Newcastle.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §1984** is enacted to read:

3 **§1984. Promotion of Maine products and businesses**

4 The authority shall promote and accommodate Maine products and businesses at rest
5 areas owned or operated by the authority. The authority shall confer with and receive
6 approval from the Department of Economic and Community Development before
7 contracting for the products and businesses at the rest areas.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill requires the Maine Turnpike Authority to promote and accommodate Maine
10 products and businesses at rest areas owned or operated by the authority, with the advice
11 and approval of the Department of Economic and Community Development.