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H.P. 366

House of Representatives, February 14, 2023

### **An Act to Develop Maine's Entry-level Workforce**

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Reference to the Committee on Labor and Housing suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT  
Clerk

Presented by Representative DUCHARME of Madison.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: COLLAMORE of Pittsfield, LANIGAN of Sanford,  
LaROCHELLE of Augusta.

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

2 **CONCEPT DRAFT**

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208.

5 This bill would amend the statutes, and require the amendment of relevant rules, that  
6 inhibit or prevent individuals who are 16 or 17 years of age from entering the workforce to  
7 make it less burdensome on those individuals to find employment and for businesses to  
8 hire those individuals.