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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1090, L.D. 1701, “Resolve, to Reestablish and Continue the Work of the Blue Ribbon Commission to Study Emergency Medical Services in the State”

Amend the resolve by inserting after the title the following:

**'Emergency preamble. Whereas,** acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

**Whereas,** this resolve reestablishes the Blue Ribbon Commission to Study Emergency Medical Services in the State; and

**Whereas,** the study must be initiated before the expiration of the 90-day period in order to provide sufficient time for the study to be completed and a report submitted in time for submission to the next legislative session; and

**Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it'

Amend the resolve by adding before the summary the following:

**'Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.'

Amend the resolve by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment adds an emergency preamble and emergency clause.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)**

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**