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An Act To Allow Public Members of the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission To Receive Reimbursement for Travel Expenses

(EMERGENCY)

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DAREK M. GRANT Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator LAWRENCE of York. Cosponsored by Representative MARTIN of Eagle Lake.

1 **Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not 2 become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and 3 Whereas, this legislation must take effect before the end of the 90-day period so that 4 public members of the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission may have their 5 expenses reimbursed for upcoming conferences; and 6 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 7 8 immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, 9 therefore, 10 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: 11 Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §12004-K, sub-§10, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 786, §5, is 12 amended to read: 13 10. 14 State Maine-Canadian Legislative **Not Authorized** 3 MRSA §227 15 Government **Advisory Commission Expenses Only** 16 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation 17 takes effect when approved. **SUMMARY** 18 19 This bill allows the expenses of members of the Maine-Canadian Legislative Advisory Commission to be reimbursed. 20