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Amend the amendment in the 2nd indented paragraph in the first line (page 1, line 13 in amendment) by striking out the following: "<u>Title 1, chapter 13 does not apply to</u>" and inserting the following: '<u>Notwithstanding Title 1, section 408, subsection 3, this chapter governs</u>'

Amend the amendment in section 2 in subsection 14 in the 5th line (page 1, line 22 in amendment) by striking out the following: "several"

Amend the amendment in section 2 in subsection 14 in the 5th line (page 1, line 22 in amendment) by inserting after the following: "factors" the following: 'relating to the cost of producing and making copies available'

## **SUMMARY**

This amendment clarifies the limit to the exemption from the freedom of access laws so that the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 33, chapter 11 prevails for the purpose of setting fees for copying registry documents. It also narrows the range of factors that may be used to determine a reasonable fee for copying registry documents to those that relate to the cost of producing and making copies available.