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House of Representatives, February 12, 2013

An Act To Exempt Snowmobile Clubs from Certain Department of Transportation Sign Requirements

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative BROOKS of Winterport.
Cosponsored by Senator THIBODEAU of Waldo and
Representatives: FARNSWORTH of Portland, HARVELL of Farmington, HERBIG of Belfast,
LIBBY of Lewiston, STANLEY of Medway, WELSH of Rockport.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §1913-A, sub-§1, ¶H**, as amended by PL 1999, c. 152, Pt. G,
3 §2, is further amended to read:

4 H. Signs bearing political messages relating to an election, primary or referendum,
5 ~~provided except~~ that these signs may not be placed within the right-of-way prior to 6
6 weeks before the election, primary or referendum to which they relate and must be
7 removed by the candidate or political committee not later than one week thereafter;
8 ~~and~~

9 **Sec. 2. 23 MRSA §1913-A, sub-§1, ¶I**, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 152, Pt. G, §3,
10 is amended to read:

11 I. Adopt-A-Highway Program signs allowed under section 1117; and

12 **Sec. 3. 23 MRSA §1913-A, sub-§1, ¶J** is enacted to read:

13 J. Directional signs of a snowmobile club affiliated with a statewide nonprofit
14 association established for the purpose of promoting snowmobiling.

15 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill adds directional signs of a snowmobile club affiliated with a statewide
17 nonprofit association established for the purpose of promoting snowmobiling to the list of
18 categorical signs that may be erected and maintained without a license or permit.