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## HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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### STATE OF MAINE

### SENATE

### 132ND LEGISLATURE

### FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 650, L.D. 1642, “An Act to Protect Maine Consumers by Simplifying Subscription Cancellations”

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 3 in the 6th line (page 2, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "fewer" and inserting the following: 'more'

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 3 in the 6th and 7th lines (page 2, lines 6 and 7 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and no more than 60 days before the cancellation deadline" and inserting the following: '~~and no more than 60 days before the cancellation~~ deadline'

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 3 in the 9th line (page 2, line 9 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~notice~~" the following: 'before the renewal date'

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 3 in the 10th line (page 2, line 10 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "must" and inserting the following: 'shall'

Amend the bill in section 5 in subsection 1 in the first line (page 2, line 17 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "section" and inserting the following: '~~section~~ chapter'

Amend the bill in section 5 in subsection 1 in the 2nd and 3rd lines (page 2, lines 18 and 19 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "damages or penalties" and inserting the following: 'remedies'

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

### SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, requires a seller to provide notice of an extended automatic subscription renewal to a consumer no more than 30 days before the renewal date. The amendment also makes technical changes.

### FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

# COMMITTEE AMENDMENT