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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 651, L.D. 1015, “Resolve, Establishing the Commission to Study the Foreclosure Process”

Amend the resolve in section 2 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 4 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "7" and inserting the following: '10'

Amend the resolve in section 2 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 4 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "appointed"

Amend the resolve in section 2 in subsection 4 in the last line (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and"

Amend the resolve in section 2 in subsection 5 in the first line (page 1, line 15 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "designee." and inserting the following: 'designee;'

Amend the resolve in section 2 by inserting after subsection 5 the following:

'6. The Superintendent of the Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection, or the superintendent's designee; and

7. Two active or retired judges or justices, designated by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court.'

Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 7 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 7. Report. Resolved: That, no later than December 6, 2023, the commission shall submit a report that includes its findings and recommendations, including suggested legislation, for presentation to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. The Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary is authorized to submit legislation related to the report to the Second Regular Session of the 131st Legislature.'

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

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SUMMARY

This amendment adds to the members of the Commission to Study the Foreclosure Process the Superintendent of the Maine Bureau of Consumer Credit Protection and 2 members from the judicial branch and requires the commission to report to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary, rather than the Joint Select Committee on Housing.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)