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House of Representatives, February 14, 2019

An Act To Expand Options for Consumers of Cable Television in Purchasing Individual Channels and Programs

Reference to the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology suggested and ordered printed.

ROBERT B. HUNT Clerk

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Presented by Representative EVANGELOS of Friendship.

Cosponsored by Senator BLACK of Franklin and

Representatives: BICKFORD of Auburn, BRENNAN of Portland, HARNETT of Gardiner, JORGENSEN of Portland, STEWART of Presque Isle, TIPPING of Orono, VEROW of

Brewer, Senator: POULIOT of Kennebec.

2	Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §3008, sub-§3, ¶F is enacted to read:
3 4 5	F. Notwithstanding any provision in a franchise, a cable system operator shall offer subscribers the option of purchasing access to cable channels, or programs on cable channels, individually.
6	SUMMARY
7 8	This bill requires that cable television system operators offer subscribers the option of purchasing access to cable channels or programs on cable channels individually.

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

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