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LD 2007

I am writing today in support of LD#2007. This bill will advance self determination for Wabanaki Nations in Maine. Tribes in Maine are way behind other tribes in the US because of the 1980 Settlement Bill. That bill was never intended to never be changed. It has been over 40 years and it is time for a big upgrade. It is way past time to correct this.

This is about fairness and equity. Maine tribes have not been able to take advantage of federal policies like other tribes.

All rural Maine will benefit if the tribes are able to improve economically.

Please pass this bill!

Thank you for your time!