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AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
130TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1154, L.D. 1549, “An Act To Establish the Maine Forest Advisory Board”

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in the first line (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "18" and inserting the following: '20'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in paragraph B in the first line (page 1, line 23 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "Six" and inserting the following: 'Eight'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (5) in the last line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and"

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in paragraph B in subparagraph (6) in the first line (page 1, line 32 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and"

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in paragraph B by inserting after subparagraph (6) the following:

'(7) A representative of a fisheries conservation organization with a statewide presence; and

(8) A representative of a statewide organization representing small woodland owners in the State; and'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §8006 in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (8) in the 7th line (page 2, line 11 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "a recommendation or"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 3 the following:

'Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF
Forest Resource Management Z233**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

1 Initiative: Provides appropriation for reimbursement of expenses.

2	GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
3	All Other	\$5,460	\$5,460
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5	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$5,460</u>	<u>\$5,460</u>

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7 **AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND**
 8 **FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF**
 9 **DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

10		2021-22	2022-23
11	GENERAL FUND	\$5,460	\$5,460
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13	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$5,460</u>	<u>\$5,460</u>

14 **LEGISLATURE**

15 **Legislature 0081**

16 Initiative: Appropriates funds for the costs to the Legislature of a legislator serving on the
 17 Maine Forestry Advisory Board.

18	GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
19	Personal Services	\$110	\$110
20	All Other	\$280	\$280
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22	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$390</u>	<u>\$390</u>

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24 **LEGISLATURE**
 25 **DEPARTMENT TOTALS**

26		2021-22	2022-23
27	GENERAL FUND	\$390	\$390
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29	DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$390</u>	<u>\$390</u>

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31 **SECTION TOTALS**

32		2021-22	2022-23
33	GENERAL FUND	\$5,850	\$5,850
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35	SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$5,850</u>	<u>\$5,850</u>

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

39 **SUMMARY**

40 This amendment, which is the minority report, adds 2 members to the Maine Forestry
 41 Advisory Board. The amendment adds one member representing a fisheries conservation

1 organization with a statewide presence and one member representing a statewide
2 organization representing small woodland owners in the State. The amendment also adds
3 an appropriations and allocations section.

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)