

# **129th MAINE LEGISLATURE**

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House of Representatives, January 17, 2019

### An Act To Protect Historic Places and Structures on the Federal Aid Highway System

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

R(+ B. Hunt

ROBERT B. HUNT Clerk

Presented by Representative HANLEY of Pittston. Cosponsored by Senator DOW of Lincoln and Representatives: GROHOSKI of Ellsworth, MAREAN of Hollis, REED of Carmel, STEARNS of Guilford, WADSWORTH of Hiram.

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

2 Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §709 is enacted to read:

#### 3 §709. Historic preservation

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Any construction or maintenance of a highway that receives federal funds under section 57 or is a federal aid highway under this Title must comply with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and any supporting federal regulations if the construction or maintenance involves or affects a structure or place listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

#### SUMMARY

10 This bill requires the Department of Transportation to comply with the National 11 Historic Preservation Act when performing construction or maintenance on a federal aid 12 highway that involves or affects a structure or place listed on the National Register of 13 Historic Places.