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**An Act To Study Transmission Solutions To Enable Renewable Energy Investment in the State** 

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

ROBERT B. HUNT Clerk

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Presented by Representative BERRY of Bowdoinham. Cosponsored by Representative: CAIAZZO of Scarborough.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: 1 2 **CONCEPT DRAFT** 3 **SUMMARY** This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208. 4 5 This bill proposes to establish a study of transmission solutions to help enable more renewable energy investment in the State. The study would examine areas of clean 6 energy potential; review possible funding mechanisms for advancing renewable energy 7 initiatives, including bonding and public-private partnerships; and recommend measures 8 to increase the pace of renewable energy investment in the State. 9