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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 155, L.D. 375, Bill, “An Act To Require the State To Enforce Spousal Support Obligations in the Same Manner as Child Support Obligations”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, To Establish the Study Committee on Alternative Methods of Enforcement of Spousal Support'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Study Committee on Alternative Methods of Enforcement of Spousal Support will review methods of spousal support enforcement in other states; and

Whereas, the study must be initiated before the 90-day period expires in order that the study may be completed and a report submitted in time for submission to the next legislative session; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Sec. 1. Study committee established. Resolved: That, notwithstanding Joint Rule 353, the Study Committee on Alternative Methods of Enforcement of Spousal Support, referred to in this resolve as "the study committee," is established; and be it further

Sec. 2. Study committee membership. Resolved: That the study committee consists of 5 members appointed as follows:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

