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An Act To Allow Credit and Debit Card Surcharges

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HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator WHITTEMORE of Somerset.
Cosponsored by Representative FOLEY of Wells and
Senators: DOW of Lincoln, LANGLEY of Hancock, ROSEN of Hancock, Representatives:
CRAIG of Brewer, PICCHIOTTI of Fairfield, PRESCOTT of Waterboro, STETKIS of
Canaan, STROM of Pittsfield.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 9-A MRSA §8-509**, as enacted by PL 2011, c. 427, Pt. A, §15, is repealed.

3 **SUMMARY**

4 Current law prohibits the seller in a sales transaction from imposing a surcharge on a
5 cardholder who pays using a credit card or debit card. This bill repeals that prohibition.