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Amend the bill by inserting after section 5 the following:

**‘Sec. 6. Report.** The Executive Director of the Workers' Compensation Board shall present the first-quarter compliance report for 2007 regarding the Maine Insurance Guaranty Association required pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 39-A, section 153, subsection 9 to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over labor matters on or before April 1, 2007.

**Sec. 7. Effective date.** That section of this Act that amends the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 39-A, section 359, subsection 2 takes effect April 1, 2007 or when the Executive Director of the Workers' Compensation Board presents the report described in section 6 to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over labor matters, whichever occurs first.’

## SUMMARY

This amendment requires the Executive Director of the Workers' Compensation Board to present the first-quarter compliance report for 2007 regarding the Maine Insurance Guaranty Association to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over labor matters by April 1, 2007. The amendment also suspends any Maine Insurance Guaranty Association penalties until the Workers' Compensation Board presents the Maine Insurance Guaranty Association report to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over labor matters or April 1, 2007, whichever occurs first.