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CH. 87/LD 1135, "Resolve, to Convene a Working Group to Study the Use of Oral Fluid Testing in Determining Intoxication of Drivers, Aircraft Operators and Hunters"

Meeting #4 – September 22, 2025  
2:00-4:00 p.m.  
Champlain Conference Room and ZOOM

MEETING NOTES

1. Joshua Saucier welcomed attendees and invited presenters to introduce themselves.

Roll call attendance was conducted by Lauren Stewart. Please see end of notes for members and guests present in person and remotely.

2. William (Bill) Lindsey, Deputy Director of the National Computer Forensics Institute and former TSRP for Alabama gave a presentation of Alabama's experience with OFT, including devices used, costs, required statute changes, training, and forensic testing protocols. This presentation will be available on the BHS website with other meeting materials. Bill indicated that Alabama has a statute that includes "blood, breath, and any other bodily substance." He also discussed Alabama's trust fund that collects fees from subjects to help pay for the forensic testing.
3. Following the presentation, members discussed and asked questions of Bill and Paul Thompson (Alabama DRE Coordinator).
4. A motion was called to approve the meeting minutes from Meeting #3. Patrica Madore made the motion to approve, and it was seconded by Joshua Saucier. Those in favor were Lauren Stewart, Joshua Saucier, Ellen

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Fraser, Chief Benjamin, and Patricia Madore. Motion carried and minutes were approved with no further discussion.

5. No Old Business.

6. Public Comment – “Bill”, a member of the public, entered the meeting at approximately 3:45p.m. during the discussion above outlined as item 3, and, while recording, commented about his personal experience with an OUI.

7. Next meeting – October 06, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Attendance:

Working Group Roster – Voting Members

Name	Organization	Representing	Present	In Person/Remote
Lauren Stewart	MeBHS	Director BHS	Yes	In Person
Joshua Saucier	Dirigo Safety	TSRP	Yes	In Person
Scot Mattox	Dirigo Safety	TSRP	Yes	Remote
Lynne Gardner	SOS-BMV	Legal/Hearings	No	
Don Finnegan	MCJA	MCJA Designee	No	
Ellen Fraser	DHHS-HETL	Forensic Chemistry	Yes	Remote
Chief Benjamin	Holden PD	MCOPA	Yes	Remote
Sheriff Polky	Knox County SO	MSA	No	
Patricia Mador	Maine Prosecutors	MPA	Yes	Remote
Justin Andrus	Andrus Law	MACDL	Yes	Remote

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## Working Group Roster – Non-Voting Members

Name	Organization	Representing	Present	In Person/Remote
Jeremy Morin	MeBHS	Add'l Member	Yes	In Person
John Roma	MeBHS	Add'l Member	Yes	In Person
Haley Fleming	MeBHS	Add'l Member	No	
Jim Willis	MeBHS	Add'l Member	Yes	Remote
Anne Schools (backup)	SOS-BMV	Legal/Hearings	No	
Nicholas Johnson	Maine Warden Service	Add'l Member	Yes	Remote
Christopher Ireland	SOS-BMV	Add'l Member	No	

## Guests –

Name	Organization	Representing	Present	In Person/Remote
Senator Scott Cyrway	Maine Legislature	Self	Yes	In Person
William Lindsey	NCFI	NCFI/Former TSRP	Yes	Remote
Paul Thompson	Alabama	ALA. DEC	Yes	Remote
Dan Riley	Norman, Hanson & DeTroy	Abbott	Yes	Remote
Bradley Lane	Washington	TSRP WA.	Yes	Remote
Bill		Self	Yes	In Person

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