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Sir,

In short, I believe the people of Maine need a strongly supported free market choice in all consumer product purchases. Mandating the subject initiative is hypocritical based on the false illusion of environmental protection. Due to the current economic health of California, our Maine leaders should not be using California as a model state to determine Maines future. That said. I strongly recommend any/all efforts by both parties to defeat this initiative.

VR/Russ Riendeau

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