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House of Representatives, January 27, 1995

An Act to Ensure Children's Protection against Rabies by Requiring Proof of Rabies Vaccinations of Pets at Day Care Centers.

Reference to the Committee on Human Resources suggested and ordered printed.

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative PLOWMAN of Hampden. Cosponsored by Representatives: JOYNER of Hollis, LIBBY of Kennebunk, MARVIN of Cape Elizabeth, PEAVEY of Woolwich, ROBICHAUD of Caribou, TAYLOR of Cumberland, TRUE of Fryeburg, Senators: CARPENTER of York, HALL of Piscataquis, HARRIMAN of Cumberland, RAND of Cumberland.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §8304-B is enacted to read:
§8304-B. Proof of rabies vaccination
A license or certificate of registration or the renewal of a license or certificate of registration as provided by this chapter may not be issued until the department is furnished with a copy of a rabies vaccination for any dog or cat residing permanently or occasionally on the premises of the day care or
<pre>home baby-sitting service. Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §8305, sub-§1-A, ¶D, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 353, §4, is amended to read:</pre>
D. The home has met the requirements of sections 8304-A <u>and 8304-B</u> ;
STATEMENT OF FACT
This bill requires that day care facilities for children and home baby-sitting services must provide proof of rabies
vaccination for any dog or cat residing permanently or occasionally on its premises.

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