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SENATE AMENDMENT " A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 288, L.D. 939, Bill, "An Act to Require Certain Employees of Health Care Facilities to Wear Identification Badges"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the title the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Authorize Inclusion of Licensure Status on Identification Badges of Employees of Health Care Facilities'

Further amend the amendment by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1717 is enacted to read:

§1717. Identification badges

If a health care facility permits or requires an employee of that facility to wear an identification badge, that health care facility may not prohibit the display on the badge of the employee's licensure status. For purposes of this section, "health care facility" has the same meaning as in section 303, subsection 7.'

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FISCAL NOTE

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This amendment may reduce the cost to the Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services by permitting, not requiring identification badges for certain employees. If the department elects to require these badges, the additional costs can be absorbed by the Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services utilizing existing budgeted resources.

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