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б	BANKING AND INSURANCE		
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14	STATE OF MAINE SENATE 118TH LEGISLATURE		
16	FIRST SPECIAL SESSION		
18	A		
20	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 320, L.D. 1060, Bill, "Ar Act to Provide Health Insurance Coverage for Prostate Cancer Screening"		
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24	Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "\$2325-C." by striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in its place the following:		
26			
28	'2. Required coverage for prostate cancer screening. All individual and group nonprofit hospital and medical services plan		
30	contracts must provide coverage for services for the early detection of prostate cancer. The contracts must reimburse for		
32	services for the early detection of prostate cancer, if recommended by a physician, at least once a year for men 50		
34	years of age or older until a man reaches the age of 72.		
	Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated		
36	" <u>\$2745-E.</u> " by striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in its place the following:		
38			
	'2. Required coverage for prostate cancer screening. All		
40	individual insurance policies and contracts must provide coverage		
42	for services for the early detection of prostate cancer. The contracts must reimburse for services for the early detection of		
-~	prostate cancer, if recommended by a physician, at least once a		
44	year for men 50 years of age or older until a man reaches the age of 72.		
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	Further amend the bill in section 3 in that part designated		
48	"\$2837-F." by striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in		
	its place the following:		

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	'2. Required coverage for prostate cancer screening. All
2	group insurance policies and contracts must provide coverage for
	services for the early detection of prostate cancer. The
4	contracts must reimburse for services for the early detection of
_	prostate cancer, if recommended by a physician, at least once a
6	year for men 50 years of age or older until a man reaches the age
8 -	of 72.'
0	Further amend the bill in section 4 in that part designated
10	"§4243." by striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in its
10	place the following:
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	'2. Required coverage for prostate cancer screening. All
14	health maintenance organization individual and group contracts
	must provide coverage for services for the early detection of
16	prostate cancer. The contracts must reimburse for services for
	the early detection of prostate cancer, if recommended by a
18	physician, at least once a year for men 50 years of age or older
	until a man reaches the age of 72.
20	Problem and the hill has been discussified as the
22	Further amend the bill by inserting after section 4 the following:
44	Tollowing:
24	'Sec. 5. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated
	from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.
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2	Salary Plan		
4	Personal Services	\$11,610	\$23,220
6	Provides funds for the additional employer health		
8	additional employer health insurance costs resulting from the mandated benefit		
10	related to prostate cancer screening.'		
12	Further amend the bill by inserting	at the end be	for e the
14	summary the following:		
16	FISCAL NOTE		
18	TISCAL NOTE		
2.0		1997-98	1998-99
20	APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS		
22			
24	General Fund	\$28,380	\$56,760
24	Highway Fund	11,160	23,220
26	This mandated benefit will increase		
28	the state employee insurance program biennium. Because certain utilization f		
	predicted, the State's cost will range		
30	\$240,000 annually.		
32	At a minimum, General Fund appropri	iations of \$28	,380 and
	\$56,760 and Highway Fund allocations of		
34	fiscal years 1997-98 and 1998-99, respect be set aside in the salary plan reserve		
36	increases for General Fund and Highway Fun		
	for employees paid from other funds, esti		
38	fiscal year 1997-98 and \$49,020 in fis		
4.0	require increased allotments to meet the		
40	services expenditures. These costs repre- range of costs to implement this change		
42	costs may be higher.	2011011037	1100401
44	The Bureau of Insurance, within Professional and Financial Regulation,	-	ment of me minor
46	additional costs to review new filings		insurers
	pertaining to policies with coverage		
48	screening. These costs can be absorbe	d within the	bureau's
	existing budgeted resources.'		

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2.	SUMMARY
4	This amendment is the minority report and amends the bill.
	It requires all individual and group contracts of nonprofit
6	hospital and medical services, insurers and health maintenance organizations to provide insurance coverage for prostate cancer
8	screening. Coverage for prostate cancer screening must be provided annually to men 50 years of age or older until a man
0	reaches the age of 72 if the procedures are recommended by a physician.
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	The amendment applies to all policies and contracts in
4	effect on or after January 1, 1998.
6	The amendment also adds an appropriation, allocation and a

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