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H.P. 1315

House of Representatives, December 22, 2003

An Act To Amend the Law Relating to Insurance Contracts

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Received by the Clerk of the House on December 17, 2003. Referred to the Committee on Insurance and Financial Services pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative O'NEIL of Saco.
Cosponsored by Senator MAYO of Sagadahoc and
Senator: LaFOUNTAIN of York.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

4 **Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §3002, sub-§3** is enacted to read:

6 3. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a
8 fire insurance policy issued or delivered in this State may
10 exclude coverage for loss by fire or other perils insured against
12 if the fire or other peril is caused directly or indirectly by
14 terrorism as defined in 18 United States Code, Section 2331.

SUMMARY

This bill would include terrorism as a noncovered peril under the State's standard fire insurance policy laws.