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House of Representatives, March 20, 2025

An Act to Require Certain Mental Health Data to Be Included in Uniform Crime Reports

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT

Clerk

Presented by Representative GRAMLICH of Old Orchard Beach.
Cosponsored by Senator INGWERSEN of York and
Representatives: ABDI of Lewiston, BRENNAN of Portland, CLOUTIER of Lewiston,
DOUDERA of Camden, MCCABE of Lewiston, MEYER of Eliot, SACHS of Freeport,
ZAGER of Portland.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §1544, 2nd ¶**, as amended by PL 2021, c. 366, §30 and c. 369,
3 §2, is further amended to read:

4 The bureau shall establish a category for abuse by adults of family or household
5 members; a category for cruelty to animals; a category for crimes that manifest evidence
6 of prejudice based on race, religion, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity or
7 ethnicity; a category for mental health referrals made pursuant to Title 34-B, section
8 3862-A, including the number of actual referrals and the number of individuals receiving
9 services pursuant to those referrals; and a category for unintentional and intentional firearm
10 discharges that are supplementary to its other reported information. The bureau shall
11 prescribe the information to be submitted in the same manner as for all other categories of
12 the uniform crime reports.

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill adds to the categories of uniform crime reports that all law enforcement
15 agencies are required to submit to the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of State Police,
16 State Bureau of Identification to require the reporting of the number of mental health
17 referrals made pursuant to the extreme risk protection order statutes and the number of
18 individuals who received services pursuant to those referrals.