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rules of reimbursement for the provision of supervisory services by board-certified behavior analysts in the MaineCare programs for home and community benefits for persons with mental retardation or autistic disorders, developmental and behavioral clinical services, day habilitation services for persons with mental retardation, early intervention services, community support benefits for persons with mental retardation or autistic disorders, day treatment services, intermediate care facilities for persons with mental retardation and school-based rehabilitative services. As applicable, the rules must provide for membership by a boardcertified behavior analyst on crisis assessment teams and multidisciplinary teams and, as appropriate, for consultation services by a board-certified behavior analyst and approval by a board-certified behavior analyst of written behavior intervention plans. Rules adopted pursuant to this section are routine technical rules as defined by the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A; and be it further

Sec. 2. Medicaid State Plan amendment; rules. Resolved: That the Department of Health and Human Services shall pursue amendment to the federally approved Medicaid state plan on a timely basis following the effective date of this resolve and, after amendment of the state plan, shall amend the MaineCare rules to provide for reimbursement of board-certified behavior analysts for supervision only.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 34 H.P. 403 - L.D. 565

Resolve, To Direct the Board of Dental Examiners To Review the Definition of "Edentulous Arch" in the Rules Governing Denturists

Sec. 1. Board of Dental Examiners to review the rules regarding denturists. Resolved: That the Board of Dental Examiners, established in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 12004-A, subsection 10, shall review the definition of "edentulous arch" in its rules governing denturists. The Board of Dental Examiners shall provide a summary of this review and any changes made pursuant to this section in a report to the Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development no later than January 30, 2010.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 35 S.P. 140 - L.D. 398

Resolve, To Develop a Management Plan for the Nonwildlife Components of Swan Island and Little Swan Island in Perkins Township, Sagadahoc County

- Sec. 1. Creation of a stakeholder group; membership and memorandum of agreement. **Resolved:** That the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife and the Department of Conservation, referred to in this resolve as "the departments," shall establish and convene a stakeholder group to evaluate the options available to manage the nonwildlife components of Swan Island and Little Swan Island in Perkins Township, Sagadahoc County. The stakeholder group shall consider and, when possible, build upon the 1999 master plan for Swan Island in conducting its work pursuant to this section. The departments shall develop and enter into a memorandum of agreement for the management of the nonwildlife components of the islands based on the recommendations and findings of the stakeholder group. The stakeholder group consists of:
- 1. The Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife or the commissioner's designee;
- 2. The Commissioner of Conservation or the commissioner's designee;
 - 3. A person representing the Town of Richmond;
- 4. A person or persons representing an adjacent municipality that expresses an interest in participating in the stakeholder group;
- 5. A person representing a nonprofit organization with the mission of preserving and protecting the ecosystem of Merrymeeting Bay;
- 6. A person representing a nonprofit organization that works to improve and promote Swan Island;
- 7. A person representing a business from the local community near Swan Island;
- 8. A person representing an historic preservation organization involved with or having a current interest in Swan Island;
- 9. A person from a state agency with a current interest in the management of Swan Island; and
- 10. A person not from a state agency with a current interest in the management of Swan Island.