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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1539 / HP1144

An Act To Provide Access to Fertility Care. Presented by Representative MADIGAN of Waterville. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services. Public Hearing 05/05/21. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 04/18/22. Amended by: CA H-865, SA/CA S-566. Carried Over: 07/19/21. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 05/02/22, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 692.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1539 \(130th Legis. 2021\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law**

[LD 1539 / PL 2021, c. 692](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

- Master file available on request—please include citation: cf130-LD-1539.pdf

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(HCIFS\) \(05/05/2021\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HCIFS\) \(05/11/2021\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HCIFS\) \(02/08/2022\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HCIFS\) \(02/17/2022\)](#)

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-0865\) \(LD 1539 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-0566\) \(LD 1539 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, April 28, 2021 \(H-200-258\)](#)

p. H-241

[SENATE, April 28, 2021 \(S-385-471\)](#)

p. S-469

[HOUSE, July 19, 2021 \(H956-990\)](#)

p. H-982

[SENATE, July 19, 2021 \(S-1246-1291\)](#)

p. S-1286

[HOUSE, March 31, 2022 \(H-1257-1285\)](#)

p. H-1267 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1268)) (Amendment(s) H-865)

[SENATE, April 5, 2022 \(S-1731-1784\)](#)

p. S-1761 (Amendment(s) H-865)

[HOUSE, April 18, 2022 \(H-1462-1479\)](#)

p. H-1479 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-865, S-566)

[SENATE, April 18, 2022 \(S-1958-1980\)](#)

p. S-1972 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)(p1975)) (Amendment(s) H-865, S-566)

[HOUSE, April 19, 2022 \(H-1480-1507\)](#)

p. H-1481 (Amendment(s) S-566, H-865)

[SENATE, April 19, 2022 \(S-1981-2019\)](#)

p. S-1993 (Amendment(s) S-566, H-865)

[SENATE, April 25, 2022 \(S-2038-2092\)](#)

p. S-2070 (Amendment(s) S-566, H-865)

### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 2021, c. 692](#)

### **Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Donna Novak, Rick Diamond, and Marti Hooper for the Maine Bureau of Insurance. Review and Evaluation of LD 1539, An Act to Provide Access to Fertility Care LD 922, An Act to Help Cancer Patients with Fertility Preservation \(January 2022\)](#)

[Maine Bureau of Insurance. Report to the Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance, and Financial Services 131st Maine Legislature Concerning LD 1539 \(January 2023\)](#)

### **News Articles**

Lawmakers approve legislation mandating insurance providers cover fertility treatments (Penelope Overton) (Portland Press Herald, 4/19/2022, p. B1, B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD15xx/nc130-LD-1539/PPH 220419E.pdf)

Finding hope in heartache, advocacy for fertility care in Maine (Jenny Simmler) (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 5/1/2022, p. C7) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD15xx/nc130-LD-1539/Sun Journal 220501D.pdf)

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