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History and Final Disposition

LD 1824 / HP1357

Original Title: An Act To Improve the Maine Child Welfare Services Ombudsman Program by Providing Additional Resources. New Title: Resolve, To Establish the Commission To Develop a Pilot Program To Provide Legal Representation to Families in the Child Protection System. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative STOVER of Boothbay. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 02/17/22. OTP-AM Accepted 03/31/22. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-875. Final Disposition: Emergency Finally Passed, Emergency Unsigned 05/08/22, RESOLVE, Chapter 181.

Original Bill

[LD 1824 \(130th Legis. 2021\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 1824 / RES 2021, c. 181](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

- Master file available on request—please include citation: cf130-LD-1824.pdf
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(HHS\) \(02/17/2022\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HHS\) \(03/07/2022\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(HHS\) \(03/23/2022\)](#)
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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-0875\) \(LD 1824 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, January 5, 2022 \(H-1003-1039\)](#)

p. H-1013

[SENATE, January 5, 2022 \(S-1311-1368\)](#)

p. S-1364

[HOUSE, March 29, 2022 \(H-1231-1256\)](#)

p. H-1254 (Amendment(s) H-875)

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

p. H-1282 (Amendment(s) H-875)

[SENATE, March 31, 2022 \(S-1703-1730\)](#)

p. S-1710 (Amendment(s) H-875)

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

p. S-1776 (Amendment(s) H-875)

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

p. S-2076 (Amendment(s) H-875)

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

p. S-2086 (Amendment(s) H-875)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[Res. 2021, c. 181](#)

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Commission to Develop a Pilot Program to Provide Legal Representation to Families in the Child Protection System \(December 2022\)](#)

News Articles

Lawmakers endorse set of child protection reform bills (Randy Billings) (Portland Press Herald, 3/8/2022, p. B1, B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1824/PPH 220308E.pdf)

Stover previews three bills for second session (Joseph Charpentier) (Boothbay Register, 2/3/2022, p. 2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1824/Boothbay Register 220203A.pdf)

Mills celebrates passage of child care act (Joe Phelan) (Kennebec Journal, 4/7/2022, p. A1) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1824/KJ 220407A.pdf)

Mills signs bill boosting child welfare ombudsman (Associated Press) (Portland Press Herald, 4/6/2022, p. B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD18xx/nc130-LD-1824/PPH 220406G.pdf)

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