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History and Final Disposition

LD 1968 / HP1463

Original Title: An Act To Expand Access to Mental Health and Crisis Care for Individuals in Jails and Individuals Experiencing Homelessness. New Title: An Act To Ensure Appropriate Placement of Defendants with Mental Illness and Intellectual Disabilities. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative TALBOT ROSS of Portland. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 03/01/22. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 04/19/22. Amended by: CA H-947, SA/CA (Changed Title) S-638. Final Disposition: Enacted, Unsigned 05/08/22, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 757.

Original Bill

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Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 1968 / PL 2021, c. 757](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

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[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(HHS\) \(03/01/2022\)](#)
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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-0947\) \(LD 1968 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)
[Amendment HA/CA \(H-1030\) \(LD 1968 2022\)](#)
[Amendment SA/CA \(S-0638\) \(LD 1968 2022\) \(Passed\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 10, 2022 \(S-1441-1472\)](#)

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p. S-1996 (Roll Call(s)(p1997)) (Amendment(s) H-947, H-1030)

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p. S-2009 (Amendment(s) H-1030, H-947)

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p. H-1541 (Amendment(s) H-947, H-1030, S-638)

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p. S-2088 (Amendment(s) S-638, H-947)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2021, c. 757](#)

News Articles

Mental health support services, not jail, needed (Kathryn Gardella) (Bangor Daily News, 4/1/2022, p. A9) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 130/LD19xx/nc130-LD-1968/BDN 220401G.pdf)

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