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Committee on Business and Economic Development
100 State House Station
Augusta, Me 04333

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Dear Senator Shorey and Representative Richardson:

The Board of Licensure in Medicine hereby submits its annual report, in accordance with Title 32, § 3269, 8-A. This report consists of certain complaint statistics for calendar year 2001, as identified in the statute.

Number of complaints carried forward from 2000	72°	
Number of complaints filed in 2001	<u>*159</u>	
Total		231
Number of complaints dismissed in 2001	166	
Number of complaints resulting in discipline in 2001	<u>12</u>	
Total		<u>178</u>
Number of complaints carried forward to 2001		53
Number of disciplinary actions tabulated by the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB)	12	
Number of Physician Assistant disciplines	<u>1</u>	
Total disciplinary actions		*13

Please contact me if you have any questions about the data.

*See attached breakdown and graph.

Very truly yours,

Dan Sprague
Assistant Executive Director

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Enclosures (2)

cc: Commissioner Longley

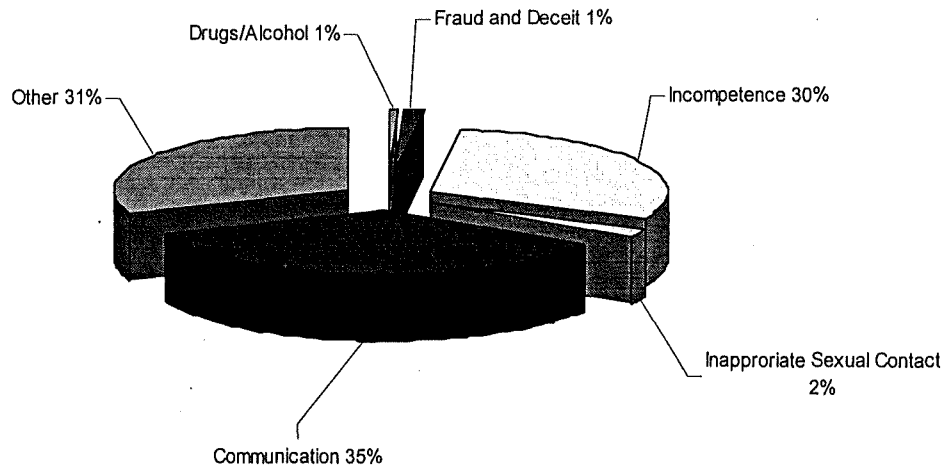
° This figure was 70 on last year's report and was amended due to a system's error.

Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine 2001 Year End Report

159 Complaints Received

- 1=Drugs/Alcohol
- 2=Fraud and Deceit in either License Application or Billing
- 48=Incompetence
- 108=Unprofessional Conduct / of these:
 - 3=Inappropriate Sexual Contact
 - 56=Communication
 - 49=Other

2001 Complaints Received



January 17, 2002

13 Disciplines Taken in 2001

5=Unprofessional Conduct
3=Prescription Practices
2=Denial of Renewal Application
1=Incompetence
1=Fraud and Deceit
1=Initial License Denial

2001 Disciplines

