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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 927

House of Representatives, March 5, 1969

Referred to Committee on Health and Institutional Services. Sent up for concurrence and 1,000 ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Durgin of Raymond.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Blood or Tissue Transfer Services.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows :

R. S., T. II, § 2-108, additional. Title II of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2-108, to read as follows :

§ 2-108. Miscellaneous health provisions; blood or tissue transfer services.

The procurement, processing, distribution or use of whole blood, plasma, blood products, blood derivatives and other human tissues such as corneas, bones or organs for the purpose of injecting, transfusion or transplanting any of them into the human body is declared to be, for all purposes, the rendition of a service by every person participating therein and, whether or not any remuneration is paid therefor, is declared not to be a sale of such whole blood, plasma, blood products, blood derivations or other tissues, for any purpose, subsequent to the effective date of this section.