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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 163, L. D. 205, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to the Rendering of Treatment and Services to Minors for Drug Abuse without Parental Consent."

Amend said Bill in section 6 by inserting at the end of that part designated "§ 1823." the following underlined sentence:

'If no consent of said minor's parent or guardian is obtained by the hospital within 48 hours after admittance of the minor to the hospital, the cost of treatment for such minor shall be paid by the State.'

Statement of Fact

If no consent is obtained from the parents within 48 hours the State shall pay for the treatment.

Filed by Mr. Carter of Winslow.

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