

## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H. P. 1963, L. D. 2504, Bill, "AN ACT Providing for Maine Motor Vehicle Insurance Reform."

Amend said Bill in section 3 in that part designated "<u>\$2954.</u>" by striking out in the 2nd line of subsection 4 (same in L. D.) the underlined words "<u>Superintendent of Insurance</u>" and inserting in place thereof the underlined words 'Secretary of State'

Further amend said Bill in section 3 in that part designated "§2955." by inserting after the underlined words "Title 24 or" in the 3rd line of subsection 3 the following underlined words ' by new individual contracts under Title 24 or this Title or by amendments' (same line in L. D.)

Further amend said Bill in section 3 in that part designated "<u>§2957.</u>" by inserting at the end of subsection 3 the following underlined sentence:

'Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to prohibit a provider from providing benefits for any nonmedical remedial care and treatment rendered in accordance with a recognized religious method of healing.'

Further amend said Bill in section 3 by striking out all of that part designated "<u>§2970.</u>"

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of section 4 and inserting in place thereof the following:

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'Sec. 4. Effective date. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 1975. Accidents occuring before the effective date of this Act are not covered by or subject to this Act. The Superintendent of Insurance shall exercise, prior to the effective date of this Act, the authority vested in him under this Act to do all things necessary to implement the Act on the effective date.'

## Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify the intent of the bill and to remove the section dealing with premium reduction; energy crisis.

Reported by the Minority of the Committee on Business Legislation.

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

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