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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-532)  
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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 935,  
L.D. 1165, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Access, Copying and Release  
of Medical Records."

Amend the amendment by inserting after the first paragraph  
the following:

'Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated  
"§1711." subsection 2, paragraph A, first sentence, by striking  
out the following underlined words "access within a reasonable  
period of time" and inserting in its place the following:  
'immediate access'

Further amend the amendment in the 3rd paragraph by striking  
out in paragraph C, first sentence, the following: "within a  
reasonable time, and at a mutually convenient time" and inserting  
in its place the following: 'immediately'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide immediate access  
to medical records for patients or their authorized representatives.

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