

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 770**

H. P. 666

House of Representatives, February 10, 1981

Referred to the Committee on Labor. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Jacques of Waterville.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

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**AN ACT to Clarify Application of the Workers' Compensation Law to Injuries Received by an Employee who Voluntarily Participates on an Employer-Sponsored Athletic Team.**

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

**39 MRSA § 2, sub-5, ¶C is enacted to read:**

**C. The term "employee" does not include any person who is otherwise an employee, if he is injured as a result of his voluntary participation in an employer-sponsored athletic event.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill excludes from the coverage of the Workers' Compensation Act injuries to an employee arising out of his voluntary participation in an employer-sponsored athletic event.