

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION  
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE  
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5 Legislative Document

No. 921

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7 S.P. 307

In Senate, February 28, 1983

8 Referred to the Committee on Health and Institutional Services. Sent  
9 down for concurrence and ordered printed.

10 JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

11 Presented by Senator Wood of York.

12 STATE OF MAINE  
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE  
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17 AN ACT to Improve the Identification of  
18 Persons Prescribing Medicines on Hospital  
19 Prescription Blanks.  
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as  
22 follows:

23 22 MRSA §2216 is enacted to read:

24 §2216. Prescriptions written on hospital prescrip-  
25 tion blanks

26 Any physician, dentist or veterinarian who writes  
27 a prescription upon a prescription blank of a hospi-  
28 tal or clinic shall print or type his name directly  
29 below his signature on the blank.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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The purpose of this bill is to require that medi-  
cal professionals who write prescriptions on hospital  
prescription blanks print or type their name on the  
blank.

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