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L.D. 1944

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1481,  
L.D. 1944, Bill, "AN ACT to Assure Greater Independence to the Certificate of Need Advisory Committee and for Other Purposes."

Amend the bill in subsection 2-A in the 2nd and 3rd lines (page 1, lines 26 and 27 in L.D.) by striking out the stricken out words "~~within the Department of Human Services~~" and inserting in their place the words 'within the Department of Human Services'

Further amend the bill in subsection 2-A, in paragraph A by striking out the first 2 sentences (page 1, lines 30 to 34 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

'The committee shall be composed of 10 members, 9 of whom shall be appointed by the Governor. The Commissioner of Human Services shall name his designee to serve as an ex officio nonvoting chairman member of the committee.'

Further amend the bill in subsection 2-A, in paragraph C by inserting after the first sentence the following:

'A vacancy in the office of the chairman shall be filled by the Governor, who shall designate a new chairman for the balance of the member's term as chairman.'

Further amend the bill in subsection 2-A by striking out all of paragraph F.

Further amend the bill in subsection 2-B, in paragraph D in the 3rd and 4th lines (page 4, lines 30 and 31 in L.D.) by striking out the stricken out

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1 words "a ~~nonvoting~~" and inserting in their place the  
2 following: 'a ~~nonvoting~~ voting'

3 STATEMENT OF FACT

4 This amendment retains the advisory committee  
5 within the Department of Human Services, but removes  
6 the departmental designee as chairman of the advisory  
7 committee. The consumer chairman will be a voting  
8 chairman. This amendment also removes the authority  
9 for the committee to employ 2 staff members.

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