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1 SECOND REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 1799

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7 H.P. 1282 House of Representatives, January 9, 1986
8 Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council
pursuant to Joint Rule 26.

9 Reference to the Committee on Human Resources suggested and ordered
printed.

10 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Nelson of Portland.

Cosponsored by Senator Clark of Cumberland.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX
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17 AN ACT Concerning Required Request for Organ
18 Donation.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §2842, sub-§4 is enacted to
23 read:

24 4. Request for anatomical gift. When a death oc-
25 curs in a hospital, the person in charge of the hos-
26 pital or his designated representative shall sign the
27 certificate and shall include on the certificate a
28 statement to the effect that, where required, a re-
29 quest for the consent to an anatomical gift has been
30 made and shall further indicate whether or not con-
31 sent was granted, the name of the person granting the
32 consent and his relationship to the decedent.

33 Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §2847 is enacted to read:

34 §2847. Duties of hospital administrator

