

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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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. 1850

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7 S.P. 727

In Senate, January 15, 1986

8 Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council
pursuant to Joint Rule 26.

9 Referred to the Committee on Business and Commerce and ordered
10 printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

11 Presented by Senator Pearson of Penobscot.

12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX
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17 AN ACT to Prohibit Insurers from Denying
18 Medical Malpractice Insurance to
19 Certain Physicians.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 24 MRSA §2906 is enacted to read:

24 §2906. Malpractice insurance discrimination against
25 certain physicians

26 No insurer authorized to transact business in
27 this State which writes or engages in writing medical
28 malpractice insurance may refuse to insure or contin-
29 ue to insure, limit the amount, extent or kind of
30 coverage available to any licensed physician solely
31 because the insured or the applicant for insurance
32 has a particular medical specialty or is engaged in a
33 particular branch or type of medicine.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2 This bill helps to preserve the insurability of
3 certain types of doctors for medical malpractice.

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