

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 114th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 1509

House of Representatives, January 4, 1990

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

Reference to the Committee on Banking and Insurance suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative RYDELL of Brunswick.

Cosponsored by Representative MANNING of Portland, Senator COLLINS of Aroostook and Senator BRANNIGAN of Cumberland.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

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**An Act to Expand and Extend the Maine Managed Care Insurance  
Plan Demonstration Project.**

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(EMERGENCY)



Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Department of Human Services currently administers 2 Maine Managed Care Insurance Plan Demonstration projects; and

Whereas, in addition to continuing the 2 existing projects, a 3rd project is necessary to increase program enrollment and to test the feasibility of the program in a variety of conditions and locations; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §3188, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 349, Pt. H, §14, is amended to read:

1. Development of demonstration. The Department of Human Services shall develop, implement and administer the Maine Managed Care Health Insurance Plan Demonstration for individuals without health insurance in one urban and site, one rural site and one site as determined by the department.

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §3188, sub-§3-A is enacted to read:

3-A. Continuation of demonstration project.  
Notwithstanding subsection 3, the demonstration project is authorized to continue until December 31, 1992.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill authorizes a 3rd Maine Managed Care Insurance Plan Demonstration project and continues 2 established sites until December 31, 1992.