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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 452, L.D. 642, Bill, "An Act to Clarify the Laws Relating to Insurance Coverage for Mammograms"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the emergency clause and inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §2745-A, sub-§§2 and 3, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 875, Pt. I, §3, are amended to read:

2. **Required coverage.** All individual insurance policies that cover radiologic procedures, except those designed to cover only specific diseases, hospital-indemnity or accidental injury only or dental procedures, must provide coverage for screening mammograms performed by providers that meet the standards established by the Department of Human Services' rules relating to radiation protection. The policies must reimburse for screening mammograms performed:

A. At least once every 2 years for women between the ages of 40 and 49; and

B. At least once a year for women age 50 and over.

3. **Application.** This section applies to all policies, contracts and certificates that cover radiologic procedures, except those policies that cover only dental procedures, accidental injury or specific diseases, executed, delivered, issued for delivery, continued or renewed in this State on or after March 1, 1991. For purposes of this section, all policies and contracts are deemed to be renewed no later than the next yearly anniversary of the policy or contract date.

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