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S.P. 39

In Senate, January 14, 1992

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-THREE

An Act to Facilitate the Sale of Health Insurance.

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

4 Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §2803-A is enacted to read:

6 §2803-A. Reciprocity

8 Notwithstanding the requirements of chapter 5, on or after
10 January 1, 1994 a policy of supplementary group health insurance
12 may be offered by an insurer to persons covered by the Civilian
14 Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services pursuant to
16 10 United States Code, Section 1072(4) if:

18 1. Licensed insurer. The insurer is licensed to issue
20 supplementary group health insurance in another state; and

22 2. Certificate of authority. The Bureau of Insurance has
24 reviewed the standards and procedures for licensing in the
26 licensing state and determines that the standards and procedures
satisfy the goals of chapter 5.

28 STATEMENT OF FACT

30 This bill allows insurers who are licensed in other states
32 and whose licensing has been reviewed by the Bureau of Insurance
34 to sell supplementary group health insurance to persons insured
36 through the federal health program, CHAMPUS.