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S.P. 56

In Senate, January 17, 1995

**An Act to Repeal the Prohibition against Nursing Home Owners and
Employees Becoming Guardians of Patients.**

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "May M. Ross".

MAY M. ROSS
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator GOLDTHWAIT of Hancock.
Cosponsored by Senators: FERGUSON of Oxford, RAND of Cumberland, Representatives:
BUNKER of Kossuth Township, LAYTON of Cherryfield, PINKHAM of Lamoine, POVICH
of Ellsworth.

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

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Sec. 1. 18-A MRSA §5-311, sub-§(c), as repealed and replaced by
PL 1985, c. 770, §1, is repealed.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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10 This bill repeals the law that provides that an owner,
12 proprietor, administrator, employee or other person with a
substantial financial interest in a nursing home or a boarding
home may not act as a guardian for an incapacitated person who is
a resident of that home.