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**HUMAN RESOURCES**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
117TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 845, L.D. 1176, Bill, "An  
Act to Amend the Maine Cancer Registry Law to Require the  
Reporting of All Cancer Cases to the Department of Human Services"

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Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "**§1402.**"  
by inserting at the end a new paragraph to read:

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'The requirements of this section do not apply to health  
care practitioners who provide treatment by spiritual means  
alone.'

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Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the  
statement of fact the following:

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**FISCAL NOTE**

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The additional costs to record reports from nonhospital  
health care facilities in the Maine Cancer Registry can be  
absorbed by the Department of Human Services utilizing existing  
budgeted resources.'

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**STATEMENT OF FACT**

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This amendment exempts from the reporting requirements  
health care practitioners who provide treatment by spiritual  
means alone. It also adds a fiscal note to the bill.

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