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No. 1316

S.P. 482

In Senate, April 13, 1995

**An Act to Address Membership of the Substance Abuse Services
Commission.**

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government 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 BUSTIN of Kennebec.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §20065, sub-§3, ¶A,** as enacted by PL 1993, c.
410, Pt. LL, §12, is amended to read:

6 A. One member of the Senate, appointed by the President of
8 the Senate and one member of the House of Representatives,
appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
10 Members appointed under this paragraph serve in an advisory
capacity only and may not vote;

12 **Sec. 2. 5 MRSA §20067, sub-§1,** as enacted by PL 1993, c. 410,
14 Pt. LL, §12, is amended to read:

16 **1. Oversee and direct office.** The commission shall oversee
the office in and direct the development and implementation of
18 significant policy matters relating to substance abuse.

20 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

22 This bill makes the legislative members of the Substance
24 Abuse Services Commission advisory only and changes the duties of
the commission to include direction of the Office of Substance
26 Abuse.