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House of Representatives, February 16, 1999

An Act Concerning the Responsibility of County Sheriffs to Transport Juvenile Detainees.

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative WHEELER of Bridgewater. Cosponsored by Senator DAGGETT of Kennebec and Representatives: AHEARNE of Madawaska, CLARK of Millinocket, KNEELAND of Easton, O'NEAL of Limestone.

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

Sec. 1. 34-A MRSA §3814, as enacted by PL 1991, c. 314, §65, is amended to read:

§3814. Transportation

All sewst-erdered---and court-related transportation of juvenile detainees to and from the Maine Youth Center is the responsibility of the sheriff of the county in which the court is located. For purposes of this section, "court-related transportation" is transportation to or from a courthouse.

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SUMMARY

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This bill clarifies the sheriffs' duties to transport juvenile detainees to and from the Maine Youth Center and to or from a court house.