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No. 1083

S.P. 315

In Senate, February 22, 2001

**An Act to Authorize State Agencies to Arrange for Direct Billing of
Hotel Rooms for State Business.**

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government 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 PENDLETON of Cumberland.
Cosponsored by Representative McDONOUGH of Portland and
Senators: DAGGETT of Kennebec, DAVIS of Piscataquis, KNEELAND of Aroostook,
ROTUNDO of Androscoggin, Representatives: COLWELL of Gardiner, HATCH of
Skowhegan, McLAUGHLIN of Cape Elizabeth.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §1812-G** is enacted to read:

6 **§1812-G. Payment for hotel rooms**

8 A hotel, motel or other establishment that provides lodging
10 may directly bill a state agency in connection with a state
employee who travels on state business. A state agency may use a
purchase order to procure lodging.

12 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill provides that a hotel, motel or other
16 establishment that provides lodging may directly bill a state
18 agency in connection with a state employee who travels on state
business. A state agency may use a purchase order to procure
lodging.