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H.P. 1448

House of Representatives, December 20, 2001

An Act to Promote Organ Donation.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Received by the Clerk of the House on December 17, 2001. Referred to the Committee on Labor pursuant to Joint Rule 308.2 and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 401.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative MARLEY of Portland.
Cosponsored by Senator BROMLEY of Cumberland and
Representatives: BLISS of South Portland, COLWELL of Gardiner, HALL of Bristol,
McLAUGHLIN of Cape Elizabeth, McNEIL of Rockland, MICHAUD of Fort Kent,
PARADIS of Frenchville, PERRY of Bangor.

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

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Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §843, sub-§4, ¶C, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 661, is amended to read:

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C. The placement of a child 16 years of age or less with the employee in connection with the adoption of the child by the employee; ~~or~~

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Sec. 2. 26 MRSA §843, sub-§4, ¶D, as amended by PL 1997, c. 546, §1, is further amended to read:

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D. A child, parent or spouse with a serious health condition; or

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Sec. 3. 26 MRSA §843, sub-§4, ¶E is enacted to read:

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E. The donation of an organ of that employee for a human organ transplant.

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SUMMARY

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This bill adds organ donation to the reasons allowed for family medical leave.