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No. 495

S.P. 167

In Senate, February 4, 2003

An Act To Amend the Law Regarding Revocation of Probation

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety 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 LaFOUNTAIN of York.
Cosponsored by Representative O'NEIL of Saco and
Senator: MAYO of Sagadahoc, Representatives: PERRY of Bangor, SNOWE-MELLO of
Poland, YOUNG of Limestone.

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

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Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §1205, sub-§1-A is enacted to read:

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6 1-A. If a prosecuting attorney has probable cause to
8 believe that a person on probation has violated a condition of
10 that person's probation, the attorney may file a motion for
12 probation revocation pursuant to section 1205-C and send a copy
14 of that motion to the person's probation officer. Upon receipt
16 of the motion, the probation officer may arrest the person
18 pursuant to this section or issue a summons pursuant to section
1205-B.

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SUMMARY

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18 This bill allows prosecuting attorneys to file motions to
revoke probation.