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No. 1491

S.P. 497

In Senate, March 31, 2003

An Act To Delay the Repeal of Laws Governing the State's Response to an Extreme Public Health Emergency

Submitted by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 204.
Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services 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 NORBERT of Portland and
Senators: BRENNAN of Cumberland, TURNER of Cumberland, WESTON of Waldo,
WOODCOCK of Franklin, Representatives: CURLEY of Scarborough, KANE of Saco,
SHIELDS of Auburn.

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

4 **Sec. 1. PL 2001, c. 694, Pt. B, §6** is amended to read:

6 **Sec. B-6. Repeal.** This Act is repealed October 31, ~~2003~~ 2005.

8 **SUMMARY**

10 Currently, the State's laws regarding extreme public health
12 emergencies and bioterrorism are scheduled to be repealed on
October 31, 2003. This bill extends that date to October 31,
2005.