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House of Representatives, February 8, 2005

## An Act To Allow Dental Hygienists To Perform Temporary Filling Procedures

Reference to the Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative SMITH of Monmouth. Cosponsored by Representatives: FARRINGTON of Gorham, JACOBSEN of Waterboro, ROBINSON of Raymond.

	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §1098-E is enacted to read:
4	<b>§1098-E.</b> Temporary filling procedures
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	<u>A dental hygienist may perform a temporary filling procedure</u>
8	without a dentist present if a follow-up appointment with a
	dentist licensed in the State has been scheduled for the patient.
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12	SUMMARY
14	This bill allows a dental hygienist to perform a temporary filling procedure without a dentist present.