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**An Act To Provide Leave to a Spouse in the Case of Death of or
Injury to a Member of the Armed Forces**

Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

Presented by Representative MARLEY of Portland.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §843, sub-§4, ¶D,** as amended by PL 2001, c. 684, §2, is
3 further amended to read:

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

5 **Sec. 2. 26 MRSA §843, sub-§4, ¶E,** as enacted by PL 2001, c. 684, §3, is
6 amended to read:

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

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

9 F. The death or injury of the employee's spouse if the employee's spouse as a
10 member of the state military forces, as defined in Title 37-B, section 102, or the
11 United States Armed Forces, including the National Guard and Reserves, was killed
12 or injured while on active duty.

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill provides leave, under the family medical leave laws, for an employee whose
15 spouse is a member of the armed forces who has been killed or injured.