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3	BUSINESS, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
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5	STATE OF MAINE
6	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
7	123RD LEGISLATURE
8	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
9 10	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "—" to H.P. 1275, L.D. 1827, Bill, "An Act To License Certified Professional Midwives To Promote Greater Public Safety and Access" Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:
12 13	'Resolve, Directing the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation To Conduct a Sunrise Review Regarding the Practice of Licensed Midwifery'
14 15	Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:
16 17 18 19 20	'Sec. 1. Sunrise review of the practice of licensed midwifery. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Professional and Financial Regulation shall conduct an independent assessment of the proposal to license certified professional midwives pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 12015, subsection 3, paragraph B; and be it further
21 22 23 24 25 26	Sec. 2. Reporting date established. Resolved: That no later than February 15, 2008, the Commissioner of Professional and Financial Regulation shall submit a report following the review under section 1 to the Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development. The committee is authorized to submit legislation on the subject matter of the report to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature.'
27	SUMMARY
28 29 30 31 32 33	This amendment replaces the bill with a resolve that directs the Commissioner of Professional and Financial Regulation to conduct an independent assessment of the proposal to license certified professional midwives and to submit a report to the Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development by February 15, 2008. The amendment also authorizes the committee to submit legislation on the subject matter of the report to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature.

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



123rd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1827

LR 2142(02)

An Act To License Certified Professional Midwives To Promote Greater Public Safety and Access

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"
Committee: Business, Research and Economic Development
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation associated with conducting the required sunrise review can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.