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In Senate, March 29, 2016

An Act To Clarify That Buprenorphine Is a Scheduled Drug

(AFTER DEADLINE)

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety suggested and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 218.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Heather J.R. Priest'.

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by President THIBODEAU of Waldo.
Cosponsored by Senator: CUSHING of Penobscot.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §1102, sub-§1, ¶I,** as amended by PL 2015, c. 330, §1, is
3 further amended to read:

4 I. Unless listed or described in another schedule, any compound, mixture or
5 preparation containing narcotic drugs, including, but not limited to, the following
6 narcotic drugs or their salts, isomers or salts of isomers: heroin (diacetylmorphine),
7 methadone, methadone hydrochloride, levo-alpha-acetyl-methadol, or LAAM,
8 pethidine, morphine, oxycodone, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, buprenorphine,
9 fentanyl, acetylfentanyl and any methylfentanyl derivatives and opium;

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This bill provides that buprenorphine is a schedule W drug.