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S.P. 495

In Senate, April 13, 2017

An Act To Repeal the Laws Governing the Mental Health Homicide, Suicide and Aggravated Assault Review Board

Reported by Senator BRAKEY of Androscoggin for the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services pursuant to Joint Order 2017, S.P. 404.

Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed pursuant to Joint Rule 218.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Heather J.R. Priest".

HEATHER J.R. PRIEST
Secretary of the Senate

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

2 **Sec. 1. 34-B MRSA §1207, sub-§1, ¶B-3**, as amended by PL 2015, c. 329, Pt.
3 A, §22, is further amended to read:

4 B-3. Information may be disclosed if necessary to carry out the statutory functions of
5 the department; the hospitalization provisions of chapter 3, subchapter 4; ~~the~~
6 ~~provisions of section 1931~~; the purposes of section 3608; the purposes of Title 5,
7 section 19506; the purposes of United States Public Law 99-319, dealing with the
8 investigatory function of the independent agency designated with advocacy and
9 investigatory functions under United States Public Law 88-164, Title I, Part C or
10 United States Public Law 99-319; or the investigation and hearing pursuant to Title
11 15, section 393, subsection 4-A. This paragraph takes effect August 1, 2017;

12 **Sec. 2. 34-B MRSA c. 1, sub-c. 7**, as amended, is repealed.

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill repeals the Mental Health Homicide, Suicide and Aggravated Assault
15 Review Board. This board is no longer active.