

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ONE  
H. 11.11.18

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25  
26

L.D. 1788

Date: 3/27/18

(Filing No. H- 689)

**JUDICIARY**

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
128TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1235, L.D. 1788, Bill, "An Act To Enhance Safety for Victims of Sexual Assault and Stalking and To Amend the Laws Governing Harassment and Protection from Abuse"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph C in the last line (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "506."

Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 2 and 4.

Amend the bill in section 5 in subsection 1 in the 2nd blocked paragraph in the 3rd and 4th lines from the end (page 2, lines 24 and 25 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "or harassment as described in Title 17-A, section 506, subsection 1, paragraph A"

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment removes the expansion of the crime of harassment by telephone or by electronic communication device as proposed in the bill. It also removes the cross-references to the expanded crime in the protection from harassment and protection from abuse laws.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1788

LR 2614(02)

An Act To Enhance Safety for Victims of Sexual Assault and Stalking and To Amend the Laws  
Governing Harassment and Protection from Abuse

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment *A(H-689)*

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

---

## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund  
Minor revenue increase - General Fund

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Increases the number of civil suits.

The additional workload associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system does not require additional funding at this time.

The collection of additional filing fees may increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.