

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 129th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2019

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S.P. 193

In Senate, February 5, 2019

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**Resolve, To Require the Department of Health and Human Services  
To Provide Cost-based Reimbursement to Maine Veterans' Homes**

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Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D M Grant", is positioned above the printed name of the Secretary of the Senate.

DAREK M. GRANT  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator LUCHINI of Hancock.  
Cosponsored by Representative GATTINE of Westbrook and  
Senators: CARPENTER of Aroostook, GRATWICK of Penobscot, HAMPER of Oxford,  
President JACKSON of Aroostook, SANBORN, L. of Cumberland, Representatives:  
HUBBELL of Bar Harbor, MILLETT of Waterford, SCHNECK of Bangor.

**Sec. 1. Department of Health and Human Services to amend rules.**  
**Resolved:** That the Department of Health and Human Services shall amend its rules in Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 67, Principles of Reimbursement for Nursing Facilities to provide that Maine Veterans' Homes nursing facilities are reimbursed for services provided to residents covered under Title XIX of the United States Social Security Act based upon the actual cost of services provided.

## SUMMARY

This resolve requires the Department of Health and Human Services to amend its rules governing MaineCare reimbursement in order to provide cost-based reimbursement to Maine Veterans' Homes nursing facilities.