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H.P. 533

House of Representatives, February 21, 2023

An Act to Protect the Practice of Certain Cardiovascular Professionals

Reference to the Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative MILLETT of Cape Elizabeth.
Cosponsored by Senator BRENNER of Cumberland and
Representatives: CYRWAY of Albion, MATHIESON of Kittery, PERRY of Calais, ZAGER
of Portland, Senator: BAILEY of York.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 32 MRSA c. 98** is enacted to read:

3 **CHAPTER 98**

4 **CARDIOVASCULAR PROFESSIONALS**

5 **§9731. Practice protected**

6 This Title may not be construed as preventing or restricting the practice, services or
7 activities of a person who has been formally trained and issued credentials by a nationally
8 recognized association of cardiovascular professionals to perform actions dictated by and
9 performed in the presence of a physician while the physician is performing cardiac
10 catheterization or electrophysiology procedures.

11 **SUMMARY**

12 This bill ensures that cardiovascular professionals who have been formally trained and
13 issued credentials by a nationally recognized association of cardiovascular professionals
14 may perform actions necessary to assist a physician while the physician is performing
15 cardiac catheterization or electrophysiology procedures.