

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE
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PUBLIC LAWS
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1985

CHAPTER 683

H.P. 1430 - L.D. 2021

AN ACT to Clarify the Law to Provide for
Notice to the Mother When an
Individual Acknowledges Paternity of a
Child Born Out of Wedlock.

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

22 MRSA §2761, sub-§4, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 188, is amended to read:

4. Illegitimate child. In Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, in the case of a child conceived and born out of wedlock, the name of the putative father shall not be entered on the certificate without his written consent. The signature of the putative father on the written consent shall be acknowledged before an official authorized to take oaths. However, if Within a reasonable time after the acknowledgment, the official taking the acknowledgment shall make a good faith effort to notify the mother of the child for whom paternity has been acknowledged. Notification shall be by certified mail, return receipt requested, or by in hand notice. If a determination of paternity has been made by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the name of the father as determined by the court shall be entered on the birth certificate without the father's consent.

Effective July 16, 1986.

CHAPTER 684

H.P. 1615 - L.D. 2273

AN ACT to Amend the Law Relating to Group
Health Insurance.

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

Sec. 1. 24 MRSA §2330, sub-§11 is enacted to read:

11. Continued group coverage; certain circumstances. Notwithstanding this section, if the termi-