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LD 1322 / HP0954

An Act to Improve Access to Health Care and Relieve Hospital Costs Due to Charity and Bad Debt Care Which are Currently Shifted to Third-party Payors. Presented by Rep. Martin of Eagle Lake; Co-sponsored by Sen. Pray of Penobscot, Rep. Rydell of Brunswick, and Sen. Pearson of Penobscot. Banking and Insurance Hearing 05/09/89. OTP-AM Accepted 07/01/89. Amended by: HA H-702. Emergency Enacted, Approved 07/12/89, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 588.

Original Bill

[LD 1322 \(114th Legis. 1989\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

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Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance

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New Drafts and Amendments

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[Amendment SB/CA \(S-390\) \(LD 1322\)](#)

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