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History and Final Disposition

LD 1732 / SP0670

An Act to Promote the Health of Newborns and Their Mothers. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.) Presented by Senator GOLDTHWAIT of Hancock; Cosponsored by Senators: AMERO of Cumberland, BENOIT of Franklin, BUTLAND of Cumberland, LAWRENCE of York, LONGLEY of Waldo, McCORMICK of Kennebec, PENDEXTER of Cumberland, PINGREE of Knox, SMALL of Sagadahoc, Representatives: AULT of Wayne, CAMERON of Rumford, DAVIDSON of Brunswick, DORE of Auburn, ETNIER of Harpswell, GOULD of Greenville, LUTHER of Mexico, MADORE of Augusta, MARVIN of Cape Elizabeth, McELROY of Unity, MERES of Norridgewock, PINKHAM of Lamoine, PLOWMAN of Hampden, RICE of South Bristol, ROWE of Portland, SHIAH of Bowdoinham, TREAT of Gardiner. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance. Public Hearing 01/30/96. OTP-AM Accepted 03/26/96. Amended by: CA S-511, SA/CA S-521. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 04/05/96, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 615.

Original Bill

[LD 1732 \(117th Legis. 1996\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1732 / PL 1995, c. 615](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-511\) \(LD 1732 1996\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-521\) \(LD 1732 1996\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[SENATE, January 23, 1996 \(S1745-1748\)](#)

- p. S-1746

[HOUSE, January 25, 1996 \(H1576-1579\)](#)

- p. H-1576

[SENATE, March 22, 1996 \(S1939-1956\)](#)

- p. S-1955 (Amendment(s) S-511)

[SENATE, March 25, 1996 \(S1957-1969\)](#)

- p. S-1960 (Amendment(s) S-511)

[SENATE, March 25, 1996 \(S1957-1969\)](#)

- p. S-1969 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-511, S-521)

[HOUSE, March 26, 1996 \(H1830-1861\)](#)

- p. H-1830 (Amendment(s) S-511, S-521)

[HOUSE, March 28, 1996 \(H1883-1925\)](#)

- p. H-1890 (Amendment(s) S-511, S-521)

[SENATE, March 28, 1996 \(S2003-2036\)](#)

- p. S-2022 (Amendment(s) S-511, S-521)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 1995, c. 615](#)

Reports and Other Related Documents

[Bureau of Insurance. Proposed Mandated Health Insurance Benefit for Maternity and Newborn Care \(March 1996\)](#)

News Articles

Bill would halt quick-stop births (Saltonstall, Polly) (Capital Weekly, 1/11/1996) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD17xx/nc117-LD-1732/SB117079.pdf)

Workload dims future of childbirth bill (Higgins, A. J.) (Bangor Daily News, 1/31/1996) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD17xx/nc117-LD-1732/SB117096.pdf)

Red tape may delay delivery bill (Saltonstall, Polly) (Courier-Gazette, 2/6/1996) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD17xx/nc117-LD-1732/SB117102.pdf)

Lawmakers will get a chance to hear bill on hospital stays (Higgins, A. Jay) (Bangor Daily News, 2/7/1996) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 117/LD17xx/nc117-LD-1732/SB117383.pdf)

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