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**118th Legislature (1996-1998)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1243 / SP0384

An Act to Protect the Privacy of Genetic Information. Presented by Senator RAND of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Senators: AMERO of Cumberland, JENKINS of Androscoggin, PARADIS of Aroostook, PINGREE of Knox, TREAT of Kennebec, Representatives: MITCHELL of Vassalboro, QUINT of Portland. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance. Public Hearings 03/17/97, 01/22/98. OTP-AM Accepted 03/24/98. Amended by: CA S-584, SA/CA S-594. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/03/98, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 677.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1243 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**

[LD 1243 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

[LD 1243 \(Carried over\) / PL 1997, c. 677](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-584\) \(LD 1243 1998\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-594\) \(LD 1243 1998\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[SENATE, February 25, 1997 \(S169-183\)](#)

- p. S-176

[HOUSE, February 27, 1997 \(H167-172\)](#)

- p. H-167

[HOUSE, June 20, 1997 \(H1363-1394\)](#)

- p. H-1371

[SENATE, June 20, 1997 \(S1427-1457\)](#)

- p. S-1435

[SENATE, March 23, 1998 \(S1907-1939\)](#)

- p. S-1922 (Amendment(s) S-584)

[HOUSE, March 24, 1998 \(H1849-1892\)](#)

- p. H-1889 (Amendment(s) S-584, S-594)

[SENATE, March 24, 1998 \(S1940-1977\)](#)

- p. S-1952 (Amendment(s) S-584)

[SENATE, March 24, 1998 \(S1940-1977\)](#)

- p. S-1960 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-584, S-594)

[HOUSE, March 25, 1998 \(H1893-1937\)](#)

- p. H-1924 (Amendment(s) S-584, S-594)

[SENATE, March 26, 1998 \(S2017-2059\)](#)

- p. S-2043 (Amendment(s) S-584, S-594)

#### **Enacted Law or Resolve**

[PL 1997, c. 677](#)

#### **Cross References**

[LD 1150 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

[LD 1210 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

#### **News Articles**

3 bills address genetic testing (Higgins, A. Jay) (Bangor Daily News, 3/18/1997) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD12xx/nc118-LD-1243/SB118688.pdf)

Bills draw panel into genetic-testing flap (Fisher, Frank) (Kennebec Journal, 3/18/1997) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD12xx/nc118-LD-1243/SB118559.pdf)

3 bills address medical privacy (Russell, Jenna) (Bangor Daily News, 1/24/1998) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD12xx/nc118-LD-1243/SB118011.pdf)

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