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

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1716 / HP1216

An Act to Establish Family Development Accounts. Presented by Representative KONTOS of Windham; Cosponsored by Senator GOLDTHWAIT of Hancock and Representatives: COLWELL of Gardiner, DONNELLY of Presque Isle, HATCH of Skowhegan, LaVERDIERE of Wilton, POVICH of Ellsworth, SAXL of Portland, Senators: CATHCART of Penobscot, PARADIS of Aroostook. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 05/05/97. OTP-AM Accepted 05/27/97. Amended by: CA H-704. Final Disposition: Emergency Enacted, Signed 06/12/97, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 518.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1716 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

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

[LD 1716 / PL 1997, c. 518](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-704\) \(LD 1716 1997\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment HA/CA \(H-728\) \(LD 1716 1997\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, April 1, 1997 \(H364-370\)](#)

- p. H-364

[SENATE, April 2, 1997 \(S430-440\)](#)

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[SENATE, April 3, 1997 \(S441-454\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 7, 1997 \(H400-410\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 27, 1997 \(H1120-1170\)](#)

- p. H-1151 (Amendment(s) H-704)

[SENATE, May 27, 1997 \(S1165-1206\)](#)

- p. S-1204 (Amendment(s) H-704)

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[HOUSE, May 29, 1997 \(H1228-1269\)](#)

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

[PL 1997, c. 518](#)

#### **Cross References**

[LD 1021 \(118th Legis. 1997\)](#)

#### **News Articles**

Bill would let welfare recipients save benefits (Kinzie, Susan) (Bangor Daily News, 5/6/1997)

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Savings accounts for poor urged (Saltonstall, Polly) (Kennebec Journal, 5/6/1997) ●

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Future investment (Bangor Daily News, 5/9/1997) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 118/LD17xx/nc118-LD-1716/SB118926.pdf)

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