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LD 1619 / SP0557

An Act to Create a Patients' Bill of Rights. Presented by Senator LAWRENCE of York; Cosponsored by Senators: LaFOUNTAIN of York, LONGLEY of Waldo, PINGREE of Knox, Representatives: BROOKS of Winterport, KANE of Saco, SULLIVAN of Biddeford. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance. Public Hearings 03/24/99, 12/09/99. Final Disposition: Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310 04/27/00.

Original Bill

[LD 1619 \(119th Legis. 1999\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill

[LD 1619 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

[LD 1619 \(Carried over\)](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Banking and Insurance

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Floor Proceedings and Debate

[SENATE, March 2, 1999 \(S252-269\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 27, 2000 \(H2674-2700\)](#)

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Cross References

[LD 631 \(119th Legis. 1999\)](#)

[PL 1999, c. 742 \(LD 750\)](#)

[LD 1890 \(119th Legis. 1999\)](#)

News Articles

- Patient rights gathers strength in Legislature (Carrier, Paul) (Kennebec Journal, 3/27/1999) ●
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- Patients' rights bill spark debate (Williamson, Josh) (Journal Tribune, 12/10/1999) ●
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