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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1821 / HP1267

Original Title: An Act to Expressly Treat Voluntary Conduct as a Defense in the Maine Criminal Code. New Title: An Act to Expressly Treat Involuntary Conduct as a Defense in the Maine Criminal Code. (Submitted by the Criminal Law Advisory Commission pursuant to Maine Revised Statutes, Title 17-A, section 1354, subsection 2.) Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice. Public Hearing 04/05/99. OTP Accepted 04/26/99. Amended by: HA (Changed Title) H-339. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 05/17/99, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 195.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1821 \(119th Legis. 1999\)](#)

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

[LD 1821 / PL 1999, c. 195](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment HA \(H-339\) \(LD 1821 1999\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, March 11, 1999 \(H327-339\)](#)

- p. H-329

[SENATE, March 16, 1999 \(S351-367\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 14, 1999 \(H586-604\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 3, 1999 \(H684-702\)](#)

- p. H-697 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-339)

[SENATE, May 4, 1999 \(S715-746\)](#)

- p. S-717 (Amendment(s) H-339)

[HOUSE, May 6, 1999 \(H776-820\)](#)

- p. H-809 (Amendment(s) H-339)

[SENATE, May 7, 1999 \(S816-836\)](#)

- p. S-829 (Amendment(s) H-339)

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

[PL 1999, c. 195](#)

#### **Cross References**

State v. Case, 672 A.2d 586 (Me. 1996)

State v. Therrien, 1997 ME 100, 695 A.2d 119

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