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LD 329 / SP0111

An Act to Encourage the Use of Generic Drugs. Presented by Senator BRENNAN of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Senators: DAGGETT of Kennebec, DOUGLASS of Androscoggin, HALL of Lincoln, HATCH of Somerset, MITCHELL of Penobscot, Representatives: BRANNIGAN of Portland, KANE of Saco. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 03/24/03. OTP-AM Accepted 05/21/03. Amended by: CA S-191. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 06/02/03, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 384.

Original Bill

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Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

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New Drafts and Amendments

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Floor Proceedings and Debate

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News Articles

High prescription drug prices spur flurry of legislative offers (Haskell, Meg) (Bangor Daily News, 3/4/2003, p. A1, A2) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD03xx/nc121-LD-0329/SB1211377.pdf)

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