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LD 1781 / HP1271

An Act To Allow Electronic Filing of Vital Records and Closing of Records To Guard against Fraud and Make Other Changes to the Vital Records Laws. Presented by Representative PERRY of Calais. Referred to Jt. Standing Comm. on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 03/03/10. OTP-AM Accepted 03/26/10. Amended by: CA H-783. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/02/10, PUBLIC LAWS, Chapter 601.

Original Bill

[LD 1781 \(124th Legis. 2010\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1781 / PL 2009, c. 601](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf124-LD-1781.pdf)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-783\) \(LD 1781 2010\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 17, 2010 \(H1057-1069\)](#)

- p. H-1059

[SENATE, February 17, 2010 \(S1354-1364\)](#)

- p. S-1364

[HOUSE, March 26, 2010 \(H1259-1282\)](#)

- p. H-1261 (Amendment(s) H-783)

[SENATE, March 26, 2010 \(S1624-1655\)](#)

- p. S-1645 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) H-783)

[SENATE, March 29, 2010 \(S1656-1673\)](#)

- p. S-1663 (Amendment(s) H-783)

[HOUSE, March 30, 2010 \(H1297-1319\)](#)

- p. H-1314 (Amendment(s) H-783)

[SENATE, March 31, 2010 \(S1700-1715\)](#)

- p. S-1702 (Amendment(s) H-783)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2009, c. 601](#)

News Articles

Bill would cut access to public records (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/9/2010, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD17xx/nc124-lid-1781/D1003005.pdf)

Maine's public records should remain public (Journal Tribune, 3/12/2010, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD17xx/nc124-lid-1781/D1003061.pdf)

Bill would limit access to historical records (Saucier, Roxanne Moore) (Bangor Daily News, 3/15/2010, p. D1, D2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD17xx/nc124-lid-1781/B1003030.pdf)

Legislature passes limits on vital records access (Saucier, Roxanne Moore) (Bangor Daily News, 4/12/2010, p. D2) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD17xx/nc124-lid-1781/B1004109.pdf)

New legislation has implications on genealogy (Brown, Nina) (Piscataquis Observer, 4/14/2010, p. 11) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 124/LD17xx/nc124-lid-1781/W1004017.pdf)

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