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LD 1547 / HP1054

Original Title: An Act To Provide Access to Affordable Naloxone Hydrochloride for First Responders. New Title: An Act To Facilitate Access to Naloxone Hydrochloride. (Submitted by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative GIDEON of Freeport. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 02/25/16. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 03/31/16. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-619, SA/CA S-473. Final Disposition: Enacted, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 508. (Veto Overridden 04/29/16).

Original Bill

[LD 1547 \(127th Legis. 2016\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law

[LD 1547 / PL 2015, c. 508](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-619\) \(LD 1547 2016\) \(Majority\) \(Passed\)](#)

[Amendment SA/CA \(S-473\) \(LD 1547 2016\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, January 12, 2016 \(H1209-1213\)](#)

- p. H-1210

[SENATE, January 14, 2016 \(S1466-1472\)](#)

- p. S-1467

[HOUSE, March 30, 2016 \(H1498-1517\)](#)

- p. H-1517 (Amendment(s) H-619)

[HOUSE, March 31, 2016 \(H1518-1544\)](#)

- p. H-1537 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-619)

[SENATE, March 31, 2016 \(S1843-1862\)](#)

- p. S-1855 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 1857)) (Amendment(s) H-619)

[SENATE, April 1, 2016 \(S1863-1871\)](#)

- p. S-1869 (Amendment(s) H-619)

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- p. S-1900 (Amendment(s) H-619)

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- p. S-1938 (Amendment(s) H-619, S-473)

[HOUSE, April 7, 2016 \(H1571-1590\)](#)

- p. H-1581 (Amendment(s) H-619, S-473)

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- p. H-1589 (Amendment(s) H-619, S-473)

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- p. S-1969 (Amendment(s) H-619, S-473)

[HOUSE, April 29, 2016 \(H1731-1779\)](#)

- p. H-1752 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-619, S-473)

[HOUSE, April 29, 2016 \(H1731-1779\)](#)

- p. H-1779 (Remarks (in passing))

[SENATE, April 29, 2016 \(S2117-2148\)](#)

- p. S-2143 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s))

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2015, c. 508](#)

News Articles

Legislators to mull bill allowing pharmacists to dispense overdose antidote without prescription (Leary, Mal) (Bangor Daily News, 2/27/2016, p. B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/B1603032.pdf)

Maine bill to increase access to heroin overdose antidote moves forward (Miller, Aaron) (Portland Press Herald, 3/2/2016, p. B1, B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/P1603005.pdf)

Gideon's measure advances (Times Record (Brunswick), 3/3/2016, p. A1, A10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/D1603026.pdf)

Lawmakers' votes favor more access to lifesaving antidote for opiate overdoses (Mistler, Steve) (Portland Press Herald, 4/1/2016, p. A1, A5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/P1604003.pdf)

LePage vetoes bill aimed at increasing access to overdose antidote (Miller, Kevin) (Portland Press Herald, 4/21/2016, p. A1, A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/P1604042.pdf)

LePage's ignorance of addiction science worsens health crisis (Valdez, Joseph) (Portland Press Herald, 4/25/2016, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 127/LD15xx/nc127-ld-1547/P1604049.pdf)

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