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**128th Legislature (2016-2018)**

**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1406 / SP0484

An Act To Promote Prescription Drug Price Transparency. Presented by Senator VITELLI of Sagadahoc. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 05/16/17. Minority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 04/17/18. Amended by: CB S-452. Carried Over: 08/02/17. Final Disposition: Enacted, Unsigned 05/01/18, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 406.

**Original Bill**

[LD 1406 \(128th Legis. 2017\)](#)

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

[LD 1406 \(1st Regular Session\)](#)

[LD 1406 \(Carried over\) / PL 2017, c. 406](#)

**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf128-LD-1406.pdf)

**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(S-451\) \(LD 1406 2018\) \(Majority\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(S-452\) \(LD 1406 2018\) \(Minority\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[SENATE, April 11, 2017 \(S368-383\)](#)

- p. S-374

[SENATE, April 20, 2017 \(S443-462\)](#)

- p. S-460

[HOUSE, April 25, 2017 \(H372-389\)](#)

- p. H-372

[HOUSE, August 2, 2017 \(H1140-1187\)](#)

- p. H-1179

[SENATE, August 2, 2017 \(S1345-1381\)](#)

- p. S-1379

[SENATE, April 11, 2018 \(S1898-1914\)](#)

- p. S-1905 (Amendment(s) S-451, S-452)

[SENATE, April 12, 2018 \(S1915-1938\)](#)

- p. S-1934 (Remarks) (Amendment(s) S-451, S-452)

[HOUSE, April 13, 2018 \(H1641-1654\)](#)

- p. H-1646 (Amendment(s) S-451, S-452)

[HOUSE, April 17, 2018 \(H1655-1669\)](#)

- p. H-1661 (Amendment(s) S-451, S-452)

[HOUSE, April 17, 2018 \(H1655-1669\)](#)

- p. H-1669 (Amendment(s) S-452)

[SENATE, April 17, 2018 \(S1956-1990\)](#)

- p. S-1958 (Amendment(s) S-452, S-451)

[SENATE, April 18, 2018 \(S1991-2022\)](#)

- p. S-2003 (Amendment(s) S-452)

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

[PL 2017, c. 406](#)

#### **Reports and Other Related Documents**

[Maine Health Data Organization report re: LD 1406, an act to promote prescription drug transparency : to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary \(December 7, 2018\)](#)

#### **Cross References**

[LD 1605 \(128th Legis. 2017\)](#)

#### **News Articles**

Mainers call for more transparency around prescription drug pricing (N/A) (Machias Valley News Observer, 12:00:00 AM, p. 5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD14xx/nc128-LD-1406/Clip17476.PDF)

At the Legislature (Jim Dill) (Penobscot Times, 3/15/2018, p. 6, 10) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD14xx/nc128-LD-1406/Penobscot Times 180315B.pdf)

Wondering why that pill costs \$1,000? Proposal would give you access to details (Edward Kane and Ann Woloson) (Portland Press Herald, 4/19/2018, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD14xx/nc128-LD-1406/PPH 180419D.pdf)

Want to lower drug prices? Let Medicare negotiate (Editorial) (Bangor Daily News, 5/16/2018, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD14xx/nc128-LD-1406/BDN 180516A.pdf)

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