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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1676 / HP1164

Original Title: An Act To Reestablish the Office of Advocacy Within the Department of Health and Human Services. New Title: An Act Expanding the Authority of the Maine Elder Death Analysis Review Team To Investigate Deaths and Serious Injuries of Persons With Intellectual Disabilities or Autism. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant To Joint Rule 203.) Presented by Representative DENNO of Cumberland. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 01/31/18. Amended by: CB (Changed Title) H-770. Final Disposition: Enacted. (Veto Sustained 07/09/18).

**Original Bill**

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**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

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**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services

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**New Drafts and Amendments**

[Amendment CA \(H-769\) \(LD 1676 2018\) \(Majority\)](#)

[Amendment CB \(H-770\) \(LD 1676 2018\) \(Minority\) \(Passed\)](#)

**Floor Proceedings and Debate**

[HOUSE, January 3, 2018 \(H1216-1230\)](#)

- p. H-1220

[SENATE, January 9, 2018 \(S1466-1478\)](#)

- p. S-1471

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

- p. H-1661 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-769)

[HOUSE, April 18, 2018 \(H1670-1713\)](#)

- p. H-1690 (Amendment(s) H-769, H-770)

[HOUSE, April 18, 2018 \(H1670-1713\)](#)

- p. H-1700 (Amendment(s) H-770)

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

- p. S-2001 (Amendment(s) H-769, H-770)

[SENATE, June 19, 2018 \(S2046-2060\)](#)

- p. S-2052 (Amendment(s) H-770)

[SENATE, June 20, 2018 \(S2061-2095\)](#)

- p. S-2079 (Amendment(s) H-770)

[HOUSE, July 9, 2018 \(H1790-1837\)](#)

- p. H-1803 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p1804)) (Amendment(s) H-770)

[SENATE, July 9, 2018 \(S2135-2168\)](#)

- p. S-2165

### News Articles

After criticism, Maine lawmakers propose improving care for those with intellectual disabilities (Joe Lawlor) (Portland Press Herald, 1/9/2018, p. A1, A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1676/PPH 180109A.pdf)

Legislation to ‘keep DHHS on their toes’ (Chris Quattrucci) (Times Record, 1/31/2018, p. A1)

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1676/Times Record 180131B.pdf)

Bills to increase Maine’s accountability for intellectually disabled get strong support (Noel K. Gallagher) (Portland Press Herald, 2/1/2018, p. B1, B4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1676/PPH 180201H.pdf)

Maine’s system for caring for disabled adults needs additional oversight (Editorial) (Kennebec Journal, 3/12/2018, p. A4) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1676/KJ 180312A.pdf)

Gov. LePage vetoes 23 bills, including funds for Medicaid expansion, ‘direct care’ workers (Kevin Miller) (Portland Press Herald, 7/3/2018, p. A1, A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 128/LD16xx/nc128-LD-1676/PPH 180703C.pdf)

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