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LD 137 / HP0083

An Act to Amend the Maine Parentage Act Regarding Joinder of Parties. (Submitted by the Family Law Advisory Commission pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 19-A, section 354, subsection 2.) Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 01/26/23. Majority (OTP) Report Accepted 03/23/23. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 04/10/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 25.

**Original Bill**

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