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131st Legislature (2022-2024)

History and Final Disposition

LD 609 / HP0386

Original Title: An Act to Ensure an Incarcerated Individual's Right to Make Free Telephone Calls Protected by Attorney-Client Privilege. New Title: An Act Regarding Guidelines for Free Telephone Calls by Individuals Incarcerated in Department of Corrections Facilities. Presented by Representative HASENFUS of Readfield. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 04/19/23. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 06/08/23. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-192. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 06/16/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 217.

Original Bill

[LD 609 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 609 / PL 2023, c. 217](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0609.pdf)
[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(JUD\) \(04/19/2023\)](#)
[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(JUD\) \(04/26/2023\)](#)
- (Click audio link on committee page. Audio files may cover several bills.)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-192\) \(LD 609 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 14, 2023 \(H-113-130\)](#)

p. H-115

[SENATE, February 14, 2023 \(S-147-159\)](#)

p. S-158

[HOUSE, May 23, 2023 \(H-529-553\)](#)

p. H-542 (Amendment(s) H-192)

[HOUSE, June 7, 2023 \(H-654-664\)](#)

p. H-661 (Amendment(s) H-192)

[SENATE, June 07, 2023 \(S-927-995\)](#)

p. S-980 (Amendment(s) H-192)

[SENATE, June 08, 2023 \(S-996-1030\)](#)

p. S-1020 (Amendment(s) H-192)

[HOUSE, June 12, 2023 \(H-702-761\)](#)

p. H-704 (Amendment(s) H-192)

[SENATE, June 12, 2023 \(S-1031-1096\)](#)

p. S-1091 (Amendment(s) H-192)

Enacted Law or Resolve

[PL 2023, c. 217](#)

News Articles

Maine passes bill to curb recording of attorney client phone calls in jails (Samantha Hogan)
(Bangor Daily News, 7/6/2023, p. A1, A2) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD06xx/nc131-LD-0609/BDN 230704B.pdf)

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