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LD 1788 / SP0713

An Act to Establish the Office of the Inspector General of Child Protection. Presented by Senator BALDACCI of Penobscot. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. Public Hearing 01/11/24. Carried Over: 07/26/23. Final Disposition: Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310 04/01/24.

Original Bill

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Committee Materials

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News Articles

Momentum builds for standalone child welfare department in Maine (Randy Billings) (Portland Press Herald, 1/12/2024, p. B1, B4) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD17xx/nc131-LD-1788/PPH 240112F.pdf)

Legislative logjam on child welfare (Billy Kobin) (Bangor Daily News, 1/17/2024, p. A1, A4) ●
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