

STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN

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H.P. 254 - L.D. 329

**An Act To Exempt from Criminal Liability Persons Reporting a Drug-related Medical Emergency**

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §1111-B is enacted to read:

**§1111-B. Exemption from criminal liability for reporting a drug-related medical emergency**

A person who in good faith seeks medical assistance for another person experiencing a drug-related overdose or who is experiencing a drug-related overdose and is in need of medical assistance may not be arrested or prosecuted for a violation of section 1107-A, 1108, 1111 or 1111-A or a violation of probation as authorized by chapter 49 if the grounds for arrest or prosecution are obtained as a result of the person's seeking medical assistance or experiencing a drug-related overdose.