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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 101, L.D. 160, “An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Practicing Chiropractic Without a License”

Amend the bill by inserting before section 1 the following:

'Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §453-A is enacted to read:

§453-A. Permissible use of title

An individual licensed to practice chiropractic under this Title may use the terms "Chiropractic," "Chiropractor," "Chiropractic Physician," "Chiropractic Practitioner" and "Doctor of Chiropractic" and the recognized abbreviation "D.C." Use of the title "physician" is prohibited and this section may not be construed to provide an individual licensed to practice chiropractic with any authority granted to a physician pursuant to any other state law.'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment is the minority report of the committee. The amendment clarifies that the provision in the bill may not be construed to provide a chiropractor with any authority granted to a physician under any other state law.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT