## STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

## TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-THREE

H.P. 296 - L.D. 479

## An Act to Amend the Laws Governing the Membership of the Palliative Care and Quality of Life Interdisciplinary Advisory Council

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

- **Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1726, sub-§2,** ¶E, as enacted by PL 2015, c. 203, §2, is amended to read:
  - E. Two persons appointed by the member of the House of Representatives who is the leader of the minority party in the House. One person must be a spiritual counselor with experience working with persons with serious illnesses and their family members. One person must represent persons 55 years of age and older; and
- **Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §1726, sub-§2, ¶F,** as enacted by PL 2015, c. 203, §2, is amended to read:
  - F. The executive director of the Maine Hospice Council, established in section 8611, who serves as a nonvoting member-; and
  - **Sec. 3. 22 MRSA §1726, sub-§2, ¶G** is enacted to read:
  - G. One person who is an individual receiving palliative care, or a primary caregiver of an individual receiving palliative care, appointed by the Governor.