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An Act to Extend the Time Frame for a Chiropractic Intern License

Reference to the Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robert B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative MOONEN of Portland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BOYER of Cape Elizabeth, FLYNN of Albion, FOLEY of Wells, MASTRACCIO of Sanford, MATHIESON of Kittery, MORRIS of Turner, Senator: BAILEY of York.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §561, sub-§1**, as enacted by PL 2019, c. 187, §2, is amended by
3 amending the first blocked paragraph to read:

4 The board may issue a nonrenewable temporary license, not to exceed ~~6~~ 9 months, to
5 practice chiropractic to an applicant meeting all of the conditions of this subsection. The
6 temporary license must describe the place or setting where chiropractic services are
7 provided. An applicant failing to provide documentation of the requirements of this
8 subsection may not be granted a temporary license by the board. The board may by rule
9 establish other requirements for temporary licensure of chiropractic interns.

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This bill extends from 6 months to 9 months the time frame for which the Board of
12 Chiropractic Licensure may issue a nonrenewable temporary license for a chiropractic
13 intern to practice chiropractic.