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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 636, L.D. 868, “An Act To Provide Consistency Regarding Persons Authorized To Conduct Examinations for Emergency Involuntary Commitment and Post-admission Examinations”

Amend the bill by inserting after section 2 the following:

**'Sec. 3. 34-B MRSA §3864, sub-§1, ¶C,** as amended by PL 2009, c. 651, §20, is further amended to read:

C. The certificate of the ~~physician or psychologist~~ medical practitioner under section 3863, subsection 7;'

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

**SUMMARY**

The bill expands who can conduct a post-admission examination and a post-admission discharge from the staff physician or licensed clinical psychologist to staff medical practitioner. This amendment updates the language referencing the certificate issued after a post-admission examination to correctly indicate that the certificate is executed by a medical practitioner.

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**