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**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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**132ND LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 326, L.D. 768, “An Act to Update the Laws Governing the Licensing of Intermediate Care Facilities for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities”

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1-A in the 3rd line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~home~~" the following: 'nonnursing level'

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1-A in the 6th line (page 1, line 9 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~home~~" the following: 'nonnursing level'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §1812-B in the first indented paragraph in the 2nd line (page 1, line 21 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~home~~" the following: 'nonnursing level'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §1812-B in the first indented paragraph in the 5th line (page 1, line 24 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~home~~" the following: 'nonnursing level'

Amend the bill in section 2 in §1812-B in the first indented paragraph in the last line (page 1, line 34 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "~~home~~" the following: 'nonnursing level'

Amend the bill in section 4 in §1812-M in subsection 7 in the 2nd line (page 3, line 19 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$2,000" and inserting the following: '\$1,000'

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 5 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 5. 22 MRSA §8752, sub-§2, as amended by PL 2011, c. 542, Pt. A, §48, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**2. Health care facility.** "Health care facility" or "facility" means a general or specialty hospital including all facilities under the hospital's license, an ambulatory surgical facility, an end-stage renal disease facility and a state institution as defined under Title 34-B, chapter 1, except that it does not include a facility licensed as a nursing facility or licensed under chapter 1664.'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This amendment removes the provision in the bill that allows the delegation of the  
5 administration of medication in nonnursing level intermediate care facilities for individuals  
6 with intellectual disabilities. It also reduces the maximum license amount from \$2,000 to  
7 \$1,000. It makes technical changes to the definition of "health care facility" in the sentinel  
8 events statutes.

9 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

10 **(See attached)**