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**STATE OF MAINE**  
**SENATE**  
**130TH LEGISLATURE**  
**SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 465, L.D. 629, “Resolve, To Establish the Task Force To Study Improving Safety and Provide Protection from Violence for Health Care Workers in Hospitals and Mental Health Care Providers”

Amend the amendment on page 2 by striking out all of the 2nd instructional paragraph (page 2, lines 24 to 27 in amendment) and inserting the following:

'Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 7 and inserting the following:

**'Sec. 7. Report. Resolved:** That, no later than November 2, 2022, the task force shall submit a report that includes its findings and recommendations, including suggested legislation, to the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety. The joint standing committee is authorized to report out legislation to the First Regular Session of the 131st Legislature.

**Sec. 8. Outside funding. Resolved:** That the task force shall seek funding contributions to fully fund the costs of the study. All funding is subject to approval by the Legislative Council in accordance with its policies. If sufficient contributions to fund the study have not been received within 30 days after the effective date of this resolve, no meetings are authorized and no expenses of any kind may be incurred or reimbursed.

**Sec. 9. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved:** That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

**LEGISLATURE**

**Study Commissions - Funding 0444**

Initiative: Allocates funds from outside sources for the costs to the Legislature of the Task Force To Study the Process for Bringing Criminal Cases in Situations of Violence against Health Care Workers.

<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>
Personal Services	\$440	\$440
All Other	\$560	\$810
<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,000</b>	<b>\$1,250</b>

**SENATE AMENDMENT**

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

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This amendment changes the reporting date and requires the Task Force To Study the  
5 Process for Bringing Criminal Cases in Situations of Violence against Health Care Workers  
6 to seek outside funding to fund the costs of the task force's work. It also adds an  
7 appropriations and allocations section.

8 **SPONSORED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

9 **(Senator DAUGHTRY, M.)**

10 **COUNTY: Cumberland**