

STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
TWO THOUSAND AND SIXTEEN

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H.P. 1046 - L.D. 1521

**An Act To Create Equity among Essential Nonprofit Health Care Providers
in Relation to the Sales Tax and the Service Provider Tax**

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §1760, sub-§16, ¶F, as enacted by PL 2005, c. 622, §6, is amended to read:

F. Incorporated nonprofit rural community health centers and incorporated nonprofit federally qualified health centers. For the purposes of this paragraph, "federally qualified health center" means a health center that is qualified to receive funding under Section 330 of the federal Public Health Service Act, 42 United States Code, Section 254b and a so-called federally qualified health center look-alike that meets the requirements of Section 254b;

Sec. 2. 36 MRSA §2557, sub-§3, ¶F, as enacted by PL 2005, c. 622, §10, is amended to read:

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Sec. 3. Effective date. This Act takes effect August 1, 2016.