

May 5, 2023

Representative Mastraccio Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services State House Augusta ME 04332

*Re:* LD 1407: An Act to Amend the Maine Insurance Code Regarding Payments by Health Insurance Carriers to Providers – Letter of Support

Dear Representative MASTRACCIO and Representatives PRINGLE and ZAGER:

The Maine Psychological Association (MePA) is a membership organization representing psychologists in Maine who work in private practice, at Maine's colleges and universities, and in the public sector. Our mission is to advance psychology as a science, as a profession, and as a means of promoting health and human welfare.

MePA supports LD 1407: An Act to Amend the Maine Insurance Code Regarding Payments by Health Insurance Carriers to Providers. We are in favor of amending the Maine Insurance Code to promote timely and accurate payment to providers.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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President