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Testimony of Representative Suzanne Salisbury presenting LD 2161, An Act to Make Technical Corrections to the Maine Juvenile Code, the Maine Criminal Code and the Intelligence and Investigative Record Information Act Before the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Senator Beebe-Center and esteemed members of the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety, my name is Sue Salisbury. I represent House District 128, which is part of the City of Westbrook. I am happy to present LD 2161, An Act to Make Technical Corrections to the Maine Juvenile Code, the Maine Criminal Code and the Intelligence and Investigative Record Information Act.

This bill clarifies provisions in the Maine Juvenile Code regarding the sealing of juvenile records by adding a cross-reference and correcting a reference to juvenile history record information. The bill repeals a provision of law in the Intelligence and Investigative Record Information Act that contains incorrect terminology and an unnecessary requirement that a request for a copy of a complaint by a person who made the complaint be made pursuant to the Freedom of Access Act. The bill also corrects a reference to a repealed statute in a provision in the Maine Criminal Code regarding sentences of imprisonment by adding the term "former" to the statutory citation.

Members of CLAC are available to answer any questions.