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Representative Meyer, and fellow members of the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services. I am glad to present LD 767, An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Licensing of Certain Types of Establishments and Professions by the Department of Health and Human Services

Through this bill, the Department of Health and Human Services is seeking to clarify and update laws governing licensing for eating establishments, lodging places, recreational camps, youth camps, campgrounds, public pools and spas, and micropigmentation and tattoo artists. All of these are overseen by Maine CDC's Health Inspection Program.

The Department will follow my testimony and outline in more detail the exact changes they are proposing, but I was glad to introduce this on their behalf as it would clarify and ensure that the related laws are applied fairly and consistently across licensees.

Thank you for your time and attention. I ask that you save your questions for the Department.

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