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Honorable Committee Members;

I would like to remind the Committee Members that all monies collected and given to the State of Maine, via taxation, is not your \$\$\$\$. Now that I have said that, why do you legislators insist on expanding Maine Care to include everyone. I believe it should be on a needs basis only.

I have worked since I was 10 yrs old and since I turned 18, I have had insurance at work 99% of the time. I am now 68 and retired. I am on a fixed income and it's difficult at times to make ends meet.

There are plenty of jobs available in Maine at this time and many of them have great benefits with insurance. I have no problem helping people out if they have a chronic condition and cannot work. People who are capable of working should not be on the State dole.

I am on Medicare and I wonder how your insurance changes to put everyone on Maine Care will affect me and my insurance. Please leave this alone...

I ask that you vote NOT TO PASS.

Thank you.

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