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LD 1911

Senator Carney, Representative Moonen, and members of the Judiciary Committee,
My name is Broo Temple, and I urge you to support LD 1911, An Act to
Automatically Seal Criminal History Record Information for Certain Crimes.

This bill recognizes that people should not face lifelong barriers for past, low-level offenses after they have met the requirements of the law. Automatic sealing helps remove obstacles to employment, housing, and education, allowing people to fully participate in their communities.

LD 1911 does not erase records or compromise public safety. Law enforcement and the courts retain access. Creating a fairer system by removing the burden of a complicated petition process.

This reform supports stability, successful reentry, and community wellbeing across Maine. It affirms that people can grow, change, and contribute meaningfully when given a real opportunity to move forward.

I respectfully urge the committee to vote in favor to pass LD 1911.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully, Broo Temple