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In Senate, January 31, 2013

An Act To Provide MaineCare Reimbursement for Pastoral Counselors

Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator SAVIELLO of Franklin.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §3174-WW** is enacted to read:

3 **§3174-WW. Reimbursement for services provided by licensed pastoral counselor**

4 Beginning January 1, 2014, the department shall provide reimbursement under the
5 MaineCare program for services provided by a pastoral counselor licensed under Title 32,
6 chapter 119.

7 **SUMMARY**

8 This bill requires the Department of Health and Human Services to provide
9 reimbursement under the MaineCare program for services provided by a licensed pastoral
10 counselor beginning January 1, 2014.