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### **An Act Regarding the Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner Advisory Board**

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Submitted by the Department of the Attorney General pursuant to Joint Rule 204.  
Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety suggested and ordered printed.

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DAREK M. GRANT  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator GERZOFKY of Cumberland.  
Cosponsored by Representative GRAHAM of North Yarmouth.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §3360-O**, as enacted by PL 2001, c. 439, Pt. Z, §1, is amended  
3 by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

4 The board may adopt routine technical rules under chapter 375, subchapter 2-A to  
5 establish prerequisites applicable to persons who wish to participate in sexual assault  
6 forensic examiner training and authorize the issuance of certificates to those who  
7 complete the training. The process of sexual assault forensic examiner training and  
8 issuance of certificates under this section does not constitute a license or licensing action  
9 under chapter 375, subchapter 5.

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This bill allows the Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner Advisory Board the authority  
12 to issue certificates to persons who complete sexual assault forensic examiner training  
13 and provides that certification by the board does not constitute licensing under the Maine  
14 Administrative Procedure Act.