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CHAPTER  
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PUBLIC LAW

STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY

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H.P. 1326 - L.D. 1855

**An Act To Include Student Absences for Mental Health or Behavioral Health  
Needs as Excusable Absences**

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

**Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §3272, sub-§3, ¶A**, as enacted by PL 1985, c. 490, §8, is amended to read:

A. Personal ~~illness~~ health, including the person's physical, mental and behavioral health;

**Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §5001-A, sub-§4, ¶A**, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 806, §49, is amended to read:

A. Personal ~~illness~~ health, including the person's physical, mental and behavioral health;