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House of Representatives, January 21, 2025

**An Act to Prohibit Biological Males from Participating in School
Athletic Programs and Activities Designated for Females When
State Funding Is Provided to the School**

Reference to the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative CAMPBELL of Orrington.
Cosponsored by Senator HAGGAN of Penobscot and
Representatives: COLLINS of Sidney, GREENWOOD of Wales, HAGGAN of Hampden,
RUDNICKI of Fairfield, SOBOLESKI of Phillips, STROUT of Harrington, THORNE of
Carmel, UNDERWOOD of Presque Isle.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §14** is enacted to read:

3 **§14. Biological males' participation in female athletic programs and activities at**
4 **schools that receive state funding**

5 A school administrative unit or an elementary school, secondary school or
6 postsecondary educational institution in the State that receives any state funding may not
7 allow a person whose biological sex assigned at birth is male to participate in an athletic
8 program or activity that is designated for females.

9 **SUMMARY**

10 This bill prohibits a school administrative unit or an elementary school, secondary
11 school or postsecondary educational institution in the State that receives any state funding
12 from allowing a person whose biological sex assigned at birth is male to participate in an
13 athletic program or activity that is designated for females.