

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-369)  
109TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 199, L.D. 495,  
Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Occupational Loss of Hearing."

Amend the Bill by striking out everything after the en-  
acting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'39 MRSA §193, sub-§3, 2nd sentence, as enacted by PL 1967,  
c. 374, §6, is amended to read:

Hearing levels shall be measured by means of pure-tone ~~ear-con-~~  
~~duction-air-conduction~~ audiometric instruments calibrated in  
accordance with American Standard ~~224,57-1951,-American Stand----~~  
~~ards-Asseociation,-March-21,-1951-National Standards Institute~~  
Standard S3.22-1976, and in an area with ambient noise level  
within the limits specified in American Standards Association  
Criteria for Background Noise in Audiometric Room S3.1, 1960.'

Statement of Fact

The purposes of this amendment are to:

1. Correct a minor error in the statutes by changing "ear-  
conduction" to 'air-conduction;' and
2. Change the calibration standards.