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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-533) 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT" A"to H.P. 1260, L.D. 1521, Bill, "AN ACT to Improve the Administration of the Second Injury Fund under the Workers' Compensation Laws.'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'39 MRSA §57-A, sub-§3 is enacted to read:

3. Exemption for liability. The State is not -- liable for any claim against the Second Injury Fund that is in excess of the fund's current ability to pay.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to protect the State Injury against law suits that arise when a Second Fund/unable to pay all claims against it.

Reported by the Committee on Labor Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House. 5/30/79 (Filing No. H-533)