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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-107)

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 62, L.D. 74, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the Eating, Lodging and Recreational Place Licensing Law."

Amend the Amendment in section 1 in that part designated "§2495." in the 2nd paragraph by striking out all of the first underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following:

'When any applicant is found, based upon an inspection by the department or by municipal inspection made according to section 2499, not in compliance with the requirements of this chapter or departmental regulations adopted and approved department may refuse issuance of the initial license, but shall issue a conditional license, except when conditions are found which present a serious danger to the health and safety of the public. A conditional license shall not exceed 90 days.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide more protection to the industry against an arbitrary decision on the part of an inspector, while also allowing the department to refuse to issue a license if serious dangers to the health and safety of the public exist.

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