

## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. H-13)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT to "A" to H.P. 234, L.D. 249, Bill, "AN ACT to Repeal Provisions for Premiums and Rebates under the Liquor Laws."

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

'<u>28 MRSA §305</u> as last amended by PL 1975, c. 741, §17, is repealed and the following is enacted in its place: §305. Premiums and rebates

Except as provided by sections 501 and 601, no certificate of approval holder, manufacturer or wholesale licensee may->require or give any price premium or discount in connection with the purchase or sale of liquors except such price premiums or discounts as are usually given or granted by him and which are clearly shown on invoices, sales slips, delivery slips and office records. All such price premiums or discounts available to any single trade purchaser shall be made available to all trade purchasers.'

## Statement of Fact

## amendment

The purpose of this / is to repeal the prohibition of price premiums and discounts.

It would allow usual and customary price premiums and discounts to retail licensees that hopefully would be passed on to the consumer.

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