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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-181)
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 833, L.D. 1000, Bill,
"AN ACT to Prevent Certain Abuses in Door-to-Door Sales."

Amend the Bill by inserting before the enacting clause
the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do
not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless en-
acted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the protections afforded consumers by the follow-
ing legislation generally concern home improvements; and

Whereas, the season in which home improvements are pri-
marily undertaken will begin well before the following legisla-
tion would normally take effect; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend the Bill by inserting at the end before
the Statement of Fact the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the
preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to add an emergency enactor to the bill.

Reported by the Committee on Business Legislation.
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