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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 397, L.D. 1190, Bill, "AN ACT to Require that Industry Wide Taxes be Levied only after Referendum Approval of the Persons who would be Required to Pay the Tax."

Amend the Bill by striking out all of that part designated "§31." and inserting in its place the following:

'§31. Tax subject to referendum

No special tax under chapters 701, 707, 708, 709 and 713

may be imposed on any particular industry, nor may an existing

special tax under those chapters be increased, unless the persons

required to pay the tax within that industry have given their

approval, according to the provisions of this chapter.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to exclude certain taxes within Title 36, Part 7, which are not applicable.

Reported by the Committee on Taxation.

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