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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
116TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 540, L.D. 724, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Mars Hill Utility District"

Amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the emergency preamble the following:

'Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

'FISCAL NOTE

This bill requires Mars Hill Utility District to make additional expenditures as a result of the expansion of its territorial limits. Pursuant to the mandate preamble, the 2/3 vote of all members elected to each House exempts the State from the constitutional requirement to fund 90% of the additional local cost of this requirement.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment adds a state mandate preamble and a fiscal note to the bill.

Filed by Rep. Kneeland of Easton
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