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| 18 | COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 518, L.D. 701, Bill, "An |
| 20 | Act Regarding the Suspension of Licenses for Failure To Pay a Fine" |
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| 24 | Amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated " §8006. " in subsection 1 in paragraph D in the 2nd line (page 2, line 2 in L.D.) by striking out the following: " <u>or apply for</u> " |
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| 28 | Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "§8006." in subsection 3 in the last 3 lines (page 2, lines 17 to 19 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "When the applicant |
| 30 | or licensee pays the court-ordered fine in full and a reinstatement fee of \$35, the license or right to apply for a |
| 32 | license must be reinstated." |
| 34 | Further amend the bill in section 3 in that part designated " §3142. " in subsection 1 in paragraph C in the first line (page |
| 36 | 2, line 37 in L.D.) by striking out the following: " <u>the right to</u> apply for or possess" |
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| 40 | SUMMARY |
| 42 | This amendment deletes from the bill the proposed authority of the court to suspend the right to apply for a license or |

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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permit for nonpayment of a court fine or other assessment. It also deletes the requirement that a \$35 reinstatement fee be paid before certain suspended licenses can be reinstated after paying all court fines.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

121st Maine Legislature Office of Fiscal and Program Review

LD 701

An Act Regarding the Suspension of Licenses for Failure To Pay a Fine

LR 1417(02) Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " " Committee: Judiciary Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Current biennium revenue increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Authorizing the court to suspend licenses will result in an increase in General Fund revenue. The exact amount of revenue from the additional collection of fines can not be determined at this time.

