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CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY

Minority

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 624, L.D. 874, Bill, "An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Concealed Firearms Permits"

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

'Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2001-A, sub-§2, ¶F, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 452, Pt. N, §2 and affected by Pt. X, §2, is amended to read:

F. A firearm carried by a person to whom a valid permit to carry a concealed firearm has been issued by another state if a permit to carry a concealed firearm issued from that state has been granted reciprocity. The Chief of the State Police may enter into reciprocity agreements with 2 other states. Reciprocity may be granted to a permit to carry a concealed firearm issued from another state if:

(1) The other state that issued the permit to carry a concealed firearm has substantially equivalent or stricter requirements for the issuance of a permit to carry a concealed firearm; and

(2) The other state that issued the permit to carry a concealed firearm observes the same rules of reciprocity in regards to a person issued a permit to carry a concealed firearm under this chapter.'

R.O.S.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 624, L.D. 874

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SUMMARY

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6 This amendment replaces the bill and is the minority report
of the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public
8 Safety. The amendment removes from the current reciprocity law
the restriction that the Chief of the State Police may enter into
10 reciprocity agreements with only 2 other states and allows the
Chief of the State Police to enter into reciprocity agreements
12 with an unlimited number of states if those states meet all other
statutory criteria for reciprocity.

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

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An Act To Amend the Laws Governing Concealed Firearms Permits

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund