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CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
132ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 751, L.D. 1146, "An Act Regarding the Required State of Mind Relating to Robbery"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph B in the 2nd line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "intentionally or knowingly" and inserting the following: 'intentionally or knowingly'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, updates the existing robbery statute's mens rea requirement for the act of threatening to use force to clarify that the act must be done intentionally or knowingly in order for the actor to have a culpable state of mind to be found criminally liable of robbery.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 05/05/25 **LRL**

132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1146

LR 511(02)

An Act Regarding the Required State of Mind Relating to Robbery

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment 'A' (H-368)

Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Current biennium savings - General Fund

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

The bill amends the Class B crime of threatening to use force against any person present to add the wording intentionally or knowingly. This amendment could result in fewer individuals incarcerated for this crime. It is unclear how many additional individuals this could impact. The current average cost of incarcerating one individual for a single year is \$55,203. No savings have been included in the bill at this time.