

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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944 RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING LARRY R. Dexter M-ONTP  
 COFFREN OF STRONG TO BRING CIVIL Webster m-OTIP  
 ACTION AGAINST THE STATE OF MAINE H: Acc.m.rep.  
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 amended  
 S: Acc.and adh  
 to M.rep

SUMMARY: Authorizes Coffren to bring civil action against State for property damage caused by former inmates of state institutions due to alleged negligence of State; possible recovery of up to \$50,000.

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-89): Adds fiscal note of possible \$50,000 impact (Dexter) (H:adopted)

1004 AN ACT CONCERNING THE VALUE OF Tuttle LV/WD  
 PRIZES THAT MAY BE AWARDED ON Ridley H/S: Acc  
 BEANO Paul  
 Charette

SUMMARY: Any State Police regulation on beano prizes must include provisions that no single prize may exceed \$300 in value and that no more than \$1,000 in total prizes may be awarded on any one occasion. Withdrawn after receipt of letter from State Police Chief stating that rules will be promulgated allowing up to \$250 per single prize and \$1,200 maximum per occasion.

1005 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS RELATING Swazey OTP-A  
 TO FEES FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR Cote PL 1982  
 AND SECURITY GUARD LICENSES Stover c. 221

SUMMARY: Increases license fees for private investigators and security guards.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-128): adds provision for license fee for investigative assistants. (H/S: adopted)

1070 AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION Zirnkilton M-ONTP  
 OF TABLE WINES Swazey m-OTIP-A-Acc.  
 H/S: INDEF-PP

SUMMARY: Retail sellers of table wines allowed free choice in selection of distributors rather than being required to deal exclusively with wholesaler assigned the territory where retailer is located.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-159): Allows retailer to buy wine from wholesaler other than the wholesaler assigned that territory only if the retailer travels to the wholesaler's warehouse and transports the products himself (m. rep) (H/S: adopted)

NOTE: See also LD 727 (beer and wine)