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May 21, 1959

Honorable John M. Reed
President of the Senate
State House
Augusta, Maine

Re: Germaneness

Dear Senator Reed:

Enclosed is the opinion rendered to Honorable Joseph T. Edgar, Speaker of the House, on May 7, 1959, concerning the specific problem under insurance law. The only difference in the situation in your body is that Senate Rule No. 11 would apply rather than House Rule 36. Senate Rule No. 11 provides:

"No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment; nor shall an amendment proposing to ingraft a general provision of law upon a private bill be in order; nor any amendment beyond the second degree."

Very truly yours,

George A. Wathen
Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosure