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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
100th LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 219, L.D. 334, Bill, "An Act Revising the Maine Milk Law."

Amend said Bill in the 3rd line of subsection XVIII of section 87-B by inserting after the underlined words "are made" the underlined words 'as a business'.

Further amend said Bill in section 87-C in the 10th and 11th lines by deleting the following underlined words and punctuation: 'or produce grade A milk or to pasteurize grade A milk, as the case may be.'

Further amend said Bill in section 87-C by adding at the end thereof the following underlined paragraphs:

'Any person wishing to produce grade A milk or to pasteurize grade A milk, as the case may be, shall apply to the commissioner for a license, furnishing such information as may be required upon a form prescribed by the commissioner. The commissioner, if satisfied, after inspection or investigation, that the applicant has complied with the rules and regulations and standards of definition and quality pertaining to grade A milk and pasteurized grade A milk, shall issue a license.'

'The commissioner shall, after investigation and public hearing, adopt and promulgate rules and regulations, and standards of definition and quality for the production, pasteurization and distribution of grade A milk.'

Further amend said Bill in section 87-F under subsection I by deleting the last underlined sentence of the first paragraph, which reads as follows: "Raw milk or raw cream shall be placed in the final container and capped on the dairy farm where it is produced."

Further amend said Bill in section 87-F in the 9th line by striking out the underlined figure "25,000" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure '50,000'.

Further amend said Bill in section 87-F by striking out all of subsections II, III, IV and V.

Further amend said Bill in section 87-F under subsection IX by striking out in the first line the underlined words "raw" and "for", and by striking out in the 2nd line the underlined word "pasteurization".

Reported by the Committee on Agriculture

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