

## STATE OF MAINE SENATE 100th LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 291, L. D. 902, Bill, "An Act Relating to Acquisition and Compensation for Land Taken for Highway Purposes."

Amend said Bill by adding after paragraph E of subsection III of Sec. 20-C the following underlined subsection IV:

<u>IV.</u> Compensation in cases involving the facilities of a public utility. Where the condemnation involves the taking of established rights and facilities owned by a public utility and located outside of an established highway right-of-way, no statement by the commission as provided above shall be sent to the public utility concerned. In any negotiations for an agreement with such public utility with regard to such rights and facilities the commission shall consider, without being limited to, the following elements of damage:

A. Relocation costs, which shall include the cost of acquisition of substitute rights and the cost of establishing either existing or substitute facilities in new location;

B. The salvage value of facilities removed;

C. Cost of removal;

D. The value of betterments where the function of the substitute facilities exceeds the function of the replaced facilities.

Further amend said Bill by striking out the semicolon at the end of subsection III of Sec. 20-E and inserting in place thereof the following underlined words and punctuation:

', or the elements of damage as set forth in section 20-C, subsection IV, and such other elements of damage as are

legally compensable;'
Filed by Senator FAVIN of YORK.
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