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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 104th LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 557, L.D. 738, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Governmental Immunity in Civil Actions."

Amend said Bill by striking out the period at the end and inserting in place thereof the following:

'during the period a policy of insurance is effective covering the liability of such governmental agency. Each policy of insurance issued to such governmental agency shall contain a provision to the effect that the insurer shall be estopped from asserting, as a defense to any claim covered by said policy, that such governmental agency is immune from liability on the ground that it is a governmental agency. The amount of damages in any such case shall not exceed the limits of coverage specified in the policy, and the courts shall abate any verdict in any such action to the extent that it exceeds such policy limit.'

Proposed by Senator BELIVEAU of Oxford.

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