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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 104th LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 611, L.D. 1787, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Death Benefit for Parents Under Workmen's Compensation Law."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause (same in L.D.) and inserting in place thereof the following:

'R. S., T. 39, § 58-A, additional. Title 39 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 58-A, to read as follows:

§ 58-A. Death benefits to parents

as the result of injury within the meaning of this Act and said employee is not survived by a widow or children who would be eligible to receive benefits under this Act, and where no other compensation is payable as a result of said injury, except medical expenses and funeral expenses provided for in this Act, a payment of \$10,000 shall be made to the living parent or parents. This section shall in no way exempt the insurance carrier from complying with section 57 relating to the second injury fund. Parentage and method of payments shall be determined by the commission. If more than one parent is living, each shall share equally.'

Reported by the Committee on LABOR.

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