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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 79, L.D. 173, Bill, "AN ACT
Creating the Maine Commercial Feed Law."

Amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated "§712."
by striking out all of subsection 9 and inserting in place thereof
the following (same in L.D.):

'9. Label. "Label" means a display of written, printed or
graphic matter upon or affixed to the container in which a commer-
cial feed is distributed, or in the case of a bulk shipment the
information shall accompany delivery.'

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated
"§712." by inserting after subsection 15 the following new sub-
section (same in L.D.):

'16. Pet. "Pet" means any domesticated animal normally
maintained in or near the household of the owner thereof.'

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated
"§712." by renumbering subsections 16 and 17 to be subsections 17
and 18; and by adding a new subsection 19, to read as follows (same
in L.D.):

'19. Ton. "Ton" means a net weight of 2,000 pounds
avoirdupois.'

Further amend said Bill in subsection 2 of that part designated
"§715." of section 1 (same in L.D.) by inserting after the first
paragraph a new paragraph A, to read as follows:

'A. Net weight;'

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Further amend said Bill in subsection 2 of that part designated "§715." of section 1 (same in L.D.) by relettering paragraphs A through F to be paragraphs B through G.

Further amend said Bill in subsection 1 of that part designated "§718." of section 1 (same in L.D.) by striking out all of paragraph G.

Further amend said Bill in section 1 by striking out all of that part designated "§719."

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designate "§720." by striking out in the first line of paragraph A of subsection 1 (same in L.D.) the word "seed" and inserting in place thereof the word 'feed'

Further amend said Bill in subsection 1 of that part designated "§721." of section 1 by striking out in the 5th line (4th line in L.D.) the underlined words "is authorized" and inserting in place thereof the following: ', upon presenting appropriate credentials, are authorized'

Further amend said Bill in subsection 7 of that part designated "§721." of section 1 by inserting at the end of the first sentence, after the word "purchaser" (same in L.D.) the following ', if known, and the distributor of the feed'

Further amend said Bill in subsection 8 of that part designated "§721." of section 1 by striking out in the 4th line (3rd line in L.D.) the underlined figure "713" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure '712' (*Filing no. S-13*)

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated "§723." by adding at the end of the 3rd paragraph (same in L.D.) the following underlined sentence:

'Before the commissioner reports a violation for such prosecution, an opportunity shall be given the distributor to present his view to the commissioner.'

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated "§725." by striking out all of the first sentence (same in L.D.)

Further amend said Bill in section 1 by renumbering those parts designated "§720." through "§725." to be "§719.'" through '§724.'

Statement of Fact

The purposes of this amendment are to include additional definitions, delete a section on tonnage reports, provide for a hearing with the commissioner, correct typographical errors and generally clarify this legislation.

Reported by the Committee on AGRICULTURE.

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