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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
105TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H. P. 221, L. D. 303, Bill, "AN ACT Increasing the Coverage and Entry Fee of Small Claims Law and Defining Certain Procedures."

Amend said Bill by inserting after section 1 the following section:

'Sec. 2. R. S., T. 14, §7453, amended. Section 7453 of Title 14 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 4 of chapter 19 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended by inserting after the 2nd sentence the following new sentence:

The judge shall cause notice of the hearing as set by the clerk to be given to the plaintiff by ordinary mail, addressed to the plaintiff at the address given to the clerk by the plaintiff and an entry made on the docket by the clerk indicating the date of the mailing of the notice to the plaintiff shall be sufficient showing of notice to the plaintiff.'

Further amend said Bill in section 2 by inserting after the word "defendant" in the 6th line (5th line of L. D.) the underlined words 'and notice to plaintiff'

Further amend said Bill by renumbering sections 2 and 3 to be sections 3 and 4.

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Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to include notice provisions for plaintiff in the small claims actions.

Reported by the Committee on Judiciary.

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