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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
105TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H. P. 476, L. D. 837, Bill,  
"AN ACT to Establish a Colt Stake Program for Maine Standard Bred  
Horses."

Amend said Bill by adding at the end before the period in that  
part designated "§ 281." of section 1 the underlined punctuation  
and words ', after due notice and hearing'

Further amend said Bill in the 7th line (6th line in L.D.)  
in that part designated "§ 62-A." of section 2 by striking out the  
underlined words "equal to the purse" and inserting in place thereof  
the underlined words and punctuation 'to match the contribution  
towards the purse, except for fees made by the licensee'

Further amend said Bill in the 8th line (7th in L.D.) in that  
part designated "§62-A." of section 2 by striking out the underlined  
figure "\$1,000" and inserting in place thereof the underlined  
figure '\$2,000'

Further amend said Bill in that part designated "§ 62-A."  
of section 2 by inserting at the end the following:  
'Nomination, starting and stallion fees shall be determined by the  
commission. Nomination fees shall be kept separate for pacers and  
trotters and shall be paid in equal amounts to all licensees  
participating in this program. These fees shall be paid directly  
to the licensee and shall also be added to the purses paid under  
this program. Stallion fees shall be used for promotion of this  
program under the direction of the commission. The commission  
may make all rules and regulations necessary to carry out this program  
after due notice and public hearing.'

*(Filing No. H-139)*

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to further regulate the management of this colt stake program.

Reported by the Committee on Agriculture.

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