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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
105TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT " C " to S. P. 574, L. D. 1718, Bill, "AN  
ACT Establishing Licensing for the Marketing of Potatoes."

Amend said Bill in the Title by inserting before the period  
the words "and Amending the Maine Potato Marketing Act"

Further amend said Bill by inserting at the beginning of the  
first line after the enacting clause the abbreviation and figure  
'Sec. 1.'

Further amend said Bill by inserting after that part  
designated "§ 1028." the following:

'Sec. 2. R. S., T. 7, § 994, amended. The first sentence of  
the 4th paragraph of section 994 of Title 7 of the Revised Statutes  
is amended to read as follows:

In order to effectuate the declared policy of sections 991 to 1006,  
the commissioner shall have the power, after due notice and  
opportunity for hearing, to enter into marketing agreements with  
handlers, producers and others engaged in the handling of potatoes,  
regulating the preparation, sale and handling of potatoes, and to  
set minimum prices, which said marketing agreement shall be binding  
upon the signatories thereto exclusively.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 7, § 995, sub-§ 11, ¶ G, additional.

Subsection 11 of section 995 of Title 7 of the Revised Statutes is  
amended by adding a new paragraph G to read as follows:

G. To set weekly minimum prices by grades, standards, sizes  
and types of packages;

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Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to enlarge the powers of the Commissioner of Agriculture.

Filed by Mr. Cyr of Madawaska

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