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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
106TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H.P. 144, L.D. 177, Bill, "AN ACT  
to Clarify the Maine Litter Control Act."

Amend said Bill in section 1 by inserting in the 5th line (same  
in L.D.) before the underlined word "container" the following  
underlined word 'covered'

Further amend said Bill in section 2 by striking out everything  
after the amending clause <sup>and</sup> before section 3. and inserting in place  
thereof the following:

'No vehicle or trailer shall be driven, ~~moved~~ or towed on any  
public highway, unless such vehicle or trailer is so constructed or  
, loaded or covered, as to prevent any of its load from dropping,  
sifting, leaking or otherwise escaping therefrom, ~~except that sand~~  
~~may be dropped for the purpose of securing traction, or that water,~~  
~~bituminous material, granular material, chemicals, or other~~  
~~substances may be placed or dropped upon the roadway in constructing~~  
~~or maintaining such roadway by public authority or someone acting~~  
~~under their direction and control.~~ This section shall only apply to  
vehicles or trailers carrying trash, rubbish or other materials  
which may be construed as "litter."

Statement of Fact

This amendment is to restrict the effect of the Act.

Reported by the Committee on Legal Affairs.

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