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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 275

Referred to the Committee on Taxation. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary Presented by Senator Conley of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Exempting Sales to Incorporated Nonprofit Boarding Homes for the Elderly from the Sales Tax.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., T. 36, § 1760, sub-§ 16, amended. The first sentence of subsection 16 of section 1760 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 126 of chapter 622 of the public laws of 1971, is amended to read as follows:

Sales to incorporated hospitals, incorporated nonprofit nursing homes or boarding homes for the elderly licensed by the Department of Health and Welfare, institutions incorporated as nonprofit corporations for the sole purpose of conducting medical research or for the purpose of establishing and maintaining laboratories for scientific study and investigation in the field of biology or ecology or operating educational television or radio stations, schools and regularly organized churches or houses of religious worship, excepting sales, storage or use in activities which are mainly commercial enterprises.

FISCAL NOTE

The loss of revenue is minimal.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is reflected in the title.