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## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT" A" to H.P. 1047, L. D. 1366, Bill,
"An Act Exempting Blind Property Owners from Real Property Tax."

Amend said Bill by inserting at the end, before the statement of fact, the following underlined sentence:

'This paragraph shall not apply to a blind person receiving tax exemption under section 654, subsection 1, paragraph E.'

## Statement of Fact

Section 654, subsection 1, paragraph E, provides a property tax exemption of \$3,500 for persons determined to be blind and receiving aid as blind persons. The purpose of the committee amendment is to make it clear that a blind person who is receiving tax exemption under that section is not elegible for an additional tax exemption under section 656, subsection 1, paragraph G.

Reported by the Committee on Taxation.

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