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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
106TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT " D " to H. P. 1523, L. D. 1953, Bill, "AN ACT  
Relating to Regulation and Inspection of Plumbing."

Amend said Bill in section 4 by striking out in the 8th line  
(6th and 7th lines in L. D.) of subsection 3 of that part designated  
"§3221." the underlined word "portable" and inserting in place  
thereof the underlined word 'potable'

Further amend said Bill in section 4 by striking out in the 6th  
and 7th lines (5th and 6th in L. D.) of subsection 4 of that part  
designated "§3221." the underlined words "outside a building"

Further amend said Bill in section 4 by striking out all of  
subsection 1 of that part designated "§3223." and inserting in  
place thereof the following:

'1. Permits required. No pipes, tanks, faucets, valves or  
other fixtures not related to a manufacturing or industrial operation  
or the waste from such operation located on or about such operation  
shall be placed in any building, nor shall any septic tank or other  
system of private sewage disposal be installed to receive the drainage  
from such plumbing, except to repair leaks or to replace an existing  
fixture, except a water heater, to be used for the same purpose,

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unless a permit for installation of such work has been issued  
by the municipal plumbing inspector. If such work does not begin  
within 6 months after the date of issuing its permit, the permit  
shall be invalid; otherwise, the permit shall be valid until  
the completion of such work.'

Further amend said Bill in section 9 by striking out in the 9th line (8th line in L. D.) the underlined word "portable" and inserting in place thereof the underlined word 'potable'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to make clear that industrial plumbing may be done without licensing or obtaining permits. This amendment further extends jurisdiction of the Department of Health and Welfare as to sewage systems under the laws.

Filed by Mr. Shaw of Chelsea.

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