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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1814, L. D. 2303, Bill, "AN ACT to Establish a Pilot Rural Housing Rehabilitation Program."

Amend said Bill in section 1 by striking out all of that part designated "§ 4792." and inserting in place thereof the following:

'§ 4792. Rehabilitation loans

The State Housing Authority may guarantee and subsidize residential housing rehabilitation loans made by any financial institution to qualified individuals for a pilot project to be established in a selected rural area of the State, said loans not to exceed \$4,500 at an interest rate at not less than 1% nor more than 9% per year, such rates to be based upon income schedules established by the authority, for a maximum repayment period of 30 years and upon such terms and conditions including, but not limited to, prepayment penalties as may be established by the authority from time to time, provided the authority may review income levels biannually for the purpose of altering the interest rate of outstanding loans.

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§ 4795." in the 2nd line of subsection 1 (first line in L.D.) by inserting after the underlined word "one" the underlined words 'guaranteed or subsidized'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§ 4795." in the 2nd line of subsection 2 (same in L.D.) by striking out the underlined word and punctuation 'make,'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§ 4795." by striking out all of subsection 3.

(Filering No-4-720)

Statement of Fact

This amendment removes the authorization of the Housing Authority to make direct rehabilitation loans or to suspend payments on loans.

Reported by the Majority of the Committee on State Government.

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