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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
106TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 908, L. D.  
2512, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Hospitalization of  
the Mentally Ill."

Amend said Bill in section 8 in that part  
designated "§ 2334." in the 3rd paragraph, by  
striking out in the 3rd line (2nd and 3rd lines in  
L. D.) the underlined words "with the consent of  
the patient or his counsel" and inserting in place  
thereof the underlined words 'for cause'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to give the  
court the discretion to determine if a proper cause  
exists for a continuance of the hearing for a period  
not to exceed 10 additional days.

(Speers)

NAME:

COUNTY: Kennebec

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