

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE

(Filing No. H-688)

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 113, L.D. 314, Bill, "AN ACT Creating the Maine Criminal Code."

Amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "<u>§1254.</u>" in subsection 2 in the 2nd line (first line in L.D.) by striking out the underlined figure "<u>15</u>" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure '<u>25</u>' and in the 3rd and 4th lines (3rd line in L.D.) by striking out the underlined figure and word "<u>12 years</u>" and inserting in place thereof the underlined words and figure '4/5 of said sentence'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "<u>\$1254.</u>" in subsection 2 in the last line (last 2 lines in L.D.) by inserting after the underlined word "<u>accumulated</u>" the following: '; provided, however, that notwithstanding any deductions that may be accumulated under section 1253, no such person shall be so released and discharged until he has served 25 years, if his sentence is life imprisonmer or 4/5 of his sentence, if that sentence is for a term of years in excess of 20 years'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to increase the actual time a person must serve in prison for conviction of criminal homicide in the first or 2nd degree.

Filed by Mr. McMahon of Kennebunk.

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