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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE

(Filing No. H-695)

HOUSE AMENDMENT "E" 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 "§1107." in subsection 2 by adding a new paragraph C to read:

'C. A Class D crime if the drug is marijuana and the amount does not exceed 1 1/2 ounces and a Class C crime if the drug is marijuana and the amount exceeds 1 1/2 ounces.'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§1107." in the Comment by striking out everything after the first 2 sentences.

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§1114." in the 2nd and 3rd lines (same in L.D.) by striking out the underlined punctuation and words ", the unauthorized possession of which constitutes a civil violation under Title 22,"

Further amend said Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§1114." by striking out all of the Comment.

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide criminal penalties for the possession of marijuana.

Filed by Mr. Joyce of Portland.

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