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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
107TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 478, L.D. 646, Bill,
"AN ACT Relating to Occupational Safety and Health in Public
Employment."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of section 7 and
inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 7. 26 MRSA §45-A, as last amended by PL 1969,
c. 274, §2, is further amended to read:

§ 45-A. Application of sections 44 and 45

Sections 44 and 45 shall not apply to work on a farm
or in or about a private residence or commercial fishing,
nor to employment in any Federal Government establishment
nor to any activity subject to the control of the Interstate
Commerce Commission~~7-or-the-Maine-Public-Utilities-Commission.~~'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end before the
Statement of Fact the following:

'Sec. 18. Courtesy inspections. During the period following
the effective date of this section and before July 1, 1977, the
Bureau of Labor shall provide workplaces as defined in this
Act with courtesy, advisory inspections as described in
< - sections 44-A, 45 and 50.

Sec. 19. Effective date. With the exception of section
18, this Act shall become effective July 1, 1977. Section 18
of this Act shall be effective 90 days after the adjournment of
the regular session of the 107th Legislature.'

Statement of Fact

These amendments are designed to give workplaces falling
under this Act time to prepare for its enactment and guidance in
preparing for compliance by July 1, 1977.

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Reported by the Majority of the Committee on Labor.

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