

## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE (Filing No. H-837)

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 590, L.D. 730, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to the Dredging, Filling or otherwise Altering Coastal Wetlands."

Amend said Amendment in that part designated "<u>§473.</u>" by striking out all of the first paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

'All permits shall be issued by the Board of Environmental Protection, except that a municipality may apply, on forms provided by the board, to the Board of Environmental Protection for authority to issue such permits. The board shall grant such authority if it finds that the municipality has:'

Further amend said Amendment in that part designated "<u>§473.</u>" in subsection 4 by striking out all of the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the following:

'<u>The application form shall be the same as that provided by the</u> Board of Environmental Protection.'

Further amend said Amendment in that part designated "<u>\$473.</u>" by striking out all of the next to the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Following such hearing, if it finds such deficiencies, it may revoke the municipalities permit granting authority.'

Further amend said Amendment in that part designated "<u>§474.</u>" in the next to the last paragraph in the 2nd line by inserting after the underlined word "<u>issuance</u>" the following: '<u>but if</u> approved by the board in less than 30 days then the effective date shall be the date of approval' CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 590, L.D. 730 P. 2

Further amend said Amendment on page 4 by inserting before the 2nd paragraph from the end the following:

'Further amend said Bill in section 3 in that part designated "<u>§477.</u>" by striking out in the 3rd line the underlined words "<u>such activity or activities</u>" and inserting in place thereof the underlined words '<u>certain activities including</u>, but not limited to, repairs and maintenance of existing structures'

## Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify the language in Committee Amendment "A".

Reported by the Committee of Conference.

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