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SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 257, L.D. 833, Bill, "AN ACT Requiring that the Judicial Council Report to the Legislature."

Amend said Amendment in section 2 in the 3rd line by inserting after the underlined word "<u>agencies</u>" the underlined words '<u>and the University of Maine and the Maine Maritime</u> Academy'

Further amend said Amendment in section 3 in that part designated " $\underline{\$43.}$ " by striking out all of the first paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

'As used in sections 43 through 46, the word "agency" shall mean a state department, agency, office, board, commission or quasi-independent agency, board, commission, authority or institution.'

Further amend said Amendment in section 3 in that part designated "<u>§43.</u>" in the 16th line by inserting after the underlined word "<u>Court</u>," the underlined words and punctuation '<u>the University of Maine and the Maine Maritime Academy</u>,' and in the 22nd line by inserting after the underlined word "<u>Justice</u>" the underlined words '<u>and the University of Maine</u> and the Maine Maritime Academy'

Further amend said Amendment in section 4 by striking out everything after the amending clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Governor may discontinue the publication of any other annual or biannual

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<u>biennial</u> report which duplicates the report material provided for in section 43, except for reports of the constitutional officers elected by the Legislature, and reports of the legislative and judicial branches of government, the University of Maine and the Maine Maritime Academy.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to authorize the University of Maine and the Maine Maritime Academy to include reports in the Maine State Government Annual Report.

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