

STATE OF MAINE SENATE 107TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S. P. 350, L.D. 1263, Bill, "AN ACT to Implement the Recommendations of the Trial Court Revision Commission."

Amend said Bill by striking out in the 6th line of section 1 (5th line in L.D.) the underlined figure "6" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure '5'

Further amend said Bill in section 6 in that part designated "<u>§19</u>." by striking out in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th lines of the 2nd paragraph (2nd, 3rd and 4th lines of L.D.) the underlined words and punctuation "; provided, that there shall be a regional court center at a location within the County of Aroostook whether or not Aroostook be designated a separate region'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of section 12-A.

Statement of Fact

The purposes of this amendment are to delete the requirement for a separate regional court center in Aroostook County and to delete section 12-A of the Bill being amended which deals with the procedure for appeals from the District Court which has been provided for in emergency legislation which has already been enacted by the 107th Legislature. The Bill also reduces the number of associate justices of the Supreme Judicial Court from 6 to 5. Reported by the Committee on Judiciary.

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