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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE

(Filing No. H-796)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1432, L.D. 1691, Bill,
"AN ACT to Establish a 10% Surcharge on Spirituous, Vinous and
Malt Beverages Sold at State Liquor Stores."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

'28 MRSA §451, first ¶, last sentence, as enacted by PL 1971, c. 268, §2, is amended to read:

Notwithstanding the other provisions of this section, the

commission, with the approval of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, may reduce the price of liquor in one store and-establish-at-that-store-the-price-to-which-the-10%-discount in-section-204-shall-be-applicable- The reduced price shall not apply to liquor purchased for resale.

Fiscal Note

It is estimated that the increase in revenue to the State by enactment of this legislation would be \$800,000 per year.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to restrict licensees from receiving the discount prices currently available at the Kittery State Liquor Store.

Reported by the Majority of the Committee on Taxation.

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