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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
107TH LEGISLATURE

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1454, L.D. 1729, Bill,
"AN ACT to Provide Workmen's Compensation Benefits for
Injured Employees with Insolvent, Inadequately Insured or
Uninsured Employers."

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

'39 MRSA §57, last ¶, as last amended by PL 1969, c. 90,
is further amended to read:

In every case of the death of an employee under this Act
where there is no person entitled to compensation, the employer
shall pay to the Industrial Accident Commission the a sum equal
to 100 times the average weekly wage in the State of Maine
as computed by the Employment Security Commission ~~of \$1,500~~
to be deposited with the Treasurer of State for the benefit
of said fund, and the commission shall direct the distribution
thereof.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to strike those parts
of L.D. 1729 which create a new "Workmen's Compensation Special
Fund" but to retain the substance of paragraph A of subsection 1
of the L.D.

Reported by the Majority of the Committee on Labor.

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