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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 107'TH LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 654, L.D. 2069, Bill, "AN ACT to Exempt Small Financial Institutions from Certain Insurance Requirements."

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

'9-B MRSA §422, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 500, \$1, is amended by adding at the end the following:

The superintendent may waive this requirement for a financial institution with assets of less than \$250,000, if such institution demonstrates to the superintendent that it is satisfying a particular community need which cannot be sufficiently met by other financial institutions and that it has adequate security for its deposits or accounts.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to reduce the Bill's level of assets below which the insurance requirements may be waived from \$500,000 to \$250,000.

Majority of the Committee
Reported by the on Business Legislation.
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