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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 107TH LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 687, L.D. 2198, Bill, "AN ACT to Regulate Drinking Water."

Amend said amendment by striking out all of the 5th and 6th paragraphs and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Further amend said Bill in section 4 in that part designated "§2611." by striking out all of subsection 4.'

Further amend said amendment by inserting at the end, before the statement of fact, the following:

'Further amend said Bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact, the following:

Sec. 5. Effective date. This Act shall become effective on April 1, 1977.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment removes the provisions in the committee amendment and the bill that require legislative review and approval of departmental rules and regulations. This amendment also postpones the effective date of the Act until April 1, 1977, with the understanding that rules and regulations will be drafted and reviewed prior to the effective date, thus allowing repeal of the Act if such rules and regulations are unreasonable.

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April 7, 1976. (Filing No. S-542).