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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 691, L.D. 2210, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the Employment Security Law."

Amend said Bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. 26 MRSA §1191, sub-§3, as last repealed and replaced by PL 1965, c. 457, §2, is amended to read:

3. Weekly benefit for partial unemployment. On and after April 1, 1966, each eligible individual who is partially unemployed in any week shall be paid with respect to such week a partial benefit in an amount equal to his weekly benefit amount less that part of his earnings paid or payable to him with respect to such week which is in excess of \$10 plus any fraction of a dollar, except that remuneration payable or received as holiday pay shall not be deemed wages for the purpose of this subsection and except that any amounts received from the Federal Government by members of the National Guard and organized reserve, including base pay and allowances, or any amounts received by volunteer firemen or by elected Members of the Legislature, shall not be deemed wages for the purpose of this subsection.

Further amend said Bill by renumbering section 2 to be section 3.

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Statement of Fact

This amendment exempts amounts received by elected Members of the Legislature from being deemed wages for the purposes of determining under the unemployment compensation laws weekly benefits for partial unemployment.

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