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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P.  
2068, L.D. 2238, Bill, "AN ACT Clarifying the Use of the Mental  
Health Improvement Fund."

Amend said Amendment by inserting before the emergency  
clause the following:

'Sec. 3. Transitional provisions. Notwithstanding the  
provisions of Title 22, section 3172-A, subsection 4, the  
Department of Mental Health and Corrections and the Department  
of Human Services shall submit for the approval of the Legislature  
a plan for proposed expenditures required by Title 22, section  
3172-A for fiscal year July 1, 1977 to June 30, 1978.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of the emergency  
clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the  
preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved, except  
Title 22, section 3172-A, subsection 4 of section 1 of this  
Act which shall become effective July 1, 1977.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify the time when  
the Act shall go into effect and to add transitional provisions  
to the bill.

Filed by Mr. Goodwin of South Berwick.

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