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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to H.P. 180, L.D. 242, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to an Increase in the Volume Fees Paid by Major Creditors under the Maine Consumer Credit Code."

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

<u>1.</u> A person required to file notification shall at the time he files such notification pay to the administrator an annual fee for that year of \$10 for-that-year if the volume of consumer credit transactions entered into in this State within the preceding calendar year was less than \$50,000 and an annual fee of \$5 for each branch thereof and \$30 if the amount was greater than \$50,000 and an annual fee of \$5 \$20 for each branch thereof.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to increase the annual filing fee of notification to extend consumer credit under the consumer credit code. It is anticipated that this will increase the Sureau's revenue by \$19,995 from 614 creditors who have a volume of more than \$50,000 along with 605 branches operated by creditors.

Reported by the Majority of the Committee on Business Legislation. Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House. 6/2/77