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HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 343,  
L.D. 388, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to the Maine Turnpike Authority."

Amend the Amendment by inserting after section 7 the  
following:

'Sec. 7-A. 1 MRSA c. 29 is enacted to read:

CHAPTER 29

TERMINATION OF STATUTORY PROVISIONS

§2501. Repeal of statutory provisions

The following statutory provisions are repealed on the dates  
set forth in this section.

23. Title 23.

A. Title 23, chapter 8 shall be repealed on January 1, 1983.

§2502. Committee reports

Any legislative committee having jurisdiction over a  
statutory provision listed in section 2501 shall prepare and submit  
to the Legislature, within 30 legislative days after the convening  
of the last regular session prior to the date set out in section  
2501 for repeal of that provision, a report evaluating the ad-  
visability of retaining the statutory provision.

§2503. Contents of report

A report prepared pursuant to section 2502 shall include:

1. Past effectiveness. An evaluation of the past effectiveness  
of the statutory provision;

2. Future need. An evaluation of the future need for the statutory provision;

3. Alternative methods. An examination of alternative methods of attaining the purpose of the provision;

4. Cost of retention. An estimate of the cost of retaining the provision; and

5. Recommendation. A recommendation of the committee as to the amendment, repeal, replacement or retention of the provision.'

Further amend the Amendment by renumbering section 7-A to be section 7-B.

Further amend the Amendment in section 8 in that part designated "§333." by striking out in the last line of subsection 2 the underlined figure "4" and inserting in its place the underlined figure '3'

Further amend the Amendment in section 8 in that part designated "§333." by striking out all of paragraph B of subsection 2 and by relettering paragraphs C and D to be paragraphs B and C.

Further amend the Amendment in section 8 in that part designated "§334." by striking out in the 5th line the underlined figure "35¢" and inserting in its place the underlined figure '50¢'

Further amend the Amendment by inserting before section 9 the following:

'§338. Legislative review

This chapter is subject to repeal under Title 1, section 2501. The legislative committee having jurisdiction over the review provided for in Title 1, section 2502 shall be the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation.'

#### Statement of Fact

This amendment provides for sunset review of chapter 8 of Title 23, Maine Turnpike, enacted by the bill, and eliminates the toll barrier on the Department of Transportation run turnpike

between Saco and Scarborough Downs. This also changes the total from 35¢ to 50¢.

Filed by Mr. Goodwin of South Berwick.

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