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(Filing No. H-464)

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 310,
L.D. 401, Bill, "AN ACT to Increase the Salaries of the Judiciary."

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the 7th paragraph
and inserting in its place the following:

'The Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court shall each
receive an annual salary of \$28,600 until June 30, 1978 and \$31,460
thereafter; and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial
Court shall receive an annual salary of \$30,250 until June 30,
1978 and \$33,275 thereafter.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of that
part designated "§102." and inserting in its place the following:

'§102. Salary; expenses

Each of the Justices of the Superior Court shall receive
an annual salary of \$28,050 until June 30, 1978 and \$30,855
thereafter. Section 4, relating to reimbursement of Justices
of the Supreme Judicial Court for expenses incurred by them,
shall apply to Justices of the Superior Court.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the 4th
sentence of the 11th paragraph and inserting in its place the
following:

'Each judge shall receive an annual salary of \$25,300 until
June 30, 1978 and \$27,830 thereafter; and the Chief Judge
shall receive an annual salary of \$26,400 until June 30, 1978 and
\$29,040 thereafter.'

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 310, LD. 401

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section 4 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 4. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Judicial Department for fiscal year 1977-78 the sum of \$131,952 and for fiscal year 1978-79 the sum of \$278,149 to be used for salary increases. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	<u>1977-78</u>	<u>1978-79</u>
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT		
Supreme and Superior Courts		
Unallocated	\$75,464	\$159,525
District Court		
Unallocated	56,488	118,624'

Statement of Fact

This amendment deletes the \$3,500 judicial salary increase over 2 years and inserts in its place a 10% increase over each of 2 years.

Filed by Mr. Biron of Lewiston.

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