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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE (Filing No. S-258)
108TH LEGISLATURE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 256, L.D. 813, Bill,
"AN ACT Relating to the Licensure of Plumbers."

Amend the Bill in section 1 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'The biennial fee for an apprentice plumber license shall be \$4.'

Further amend the Bill in section 2 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'The biennial fee for a journeyman plumber's license shall be \$30.'

Further amend the Bill in section 3 by inserting at the end after the punctuation the underlined sentence: 'The biennial fee for a limited license shall be \$30.'

Further amend the Bill in section 4 by striking out the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'The biennial fee for a master plumber's license shall be \$80.'

Further amend the Bill in section 6 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'The biennial fee for a trainee plumber license shall be \$4.'

Further amend the Bill in section 7 in that part designated "\$3302." by striking out all of subsection 3 and inserting in its place the following:

'3. Supervision of apprentice and trainee plumber. Each

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master or journeyman plumber may have a total of 3 apprentice plumbers or trainee plumbers or a combination of apprentice or trainee plumbers working with him under his personal supervision.'

Further amend the bill by inserting after section 11 the following:

'Sec. 11-A. 32 MRSA §3401, last sentence, as amended by PL 1965, c. 234, §2, is further amended to read:

The members of the board shall each be allowed the sum of ~~€20~~ \$35 per day and their necessary traveling expenses for actual attendance upon any examination of candidates for license and for any necessary hearings.'

Further amend the Bill in section 16 in that part designated "§3501." in subsection 3 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'Any person employed by a plumber as an apprentice plumber or trainee plumber shall apply for a license within 10 business days after the day he commences employment.'

Further amend the Bill in section 16 in that part designated "§3501." in subsection 5 by striking out all of the last underlined paragraph and inserting in its place the following:

'When the unexpired term of license of an applicant is or will be more than one year at the time of licensure, the board may require the applicant to pay an additional fee not to exceed 1/2 the biennial license fee.'

Further amend the Bill in section 19 in that part designated "§3504." in the 9th line (8th line in L.D.) by striking out the underlined figures and word "90 days" and inserting in their place the underlined figure and word '6 months'; by striking out in the 13th line (12th line in L.D.) the underlined figures and word "90 days" and inserting in their place the the underlined figure and word '6 months'; and in the 14th and 15th lines (13th line in L.D.) by striking out the underlined words "under conditions other than dishonorable"

Statement of Fact

These amendments make clarifications in the language; define the time in which an apprentice or trainee must make application for a license; extend the time from 60 days to 6 months before a licensed plumber who fails to renew his license must take an examination for a new license; and remove a distinction on persons discharged from the Armed Forces.

Reported by the Committee on Business Legislation.

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