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H. P. 787 House of Representatives, March 10, 1977 On motion of Mr. Carey of Waterville, referred to the Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and 1,800 copies ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Ms. Bachrach of Brunswick. Cosponsor: Mrs. Tarr of Bridgton.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Concerning the Veterans' Property Tax Exemption.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

36 MRSA § 653, sub-§ 1, ¶ K, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 550, § 4 and amended by P& SL 1975, c. 78, § 21, is further amended by adding at the end the following new sentence to read:

Provided that in cases of persons eligible for veterans' property tax exemption whose family income falls within the income limitation established in section 6108, Elderly Householders Tax and Rent Refund Act, the exemption granted under this chapter shall not be less than what the exemption would have been in the 1975 tax year.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide that a veterans' property tax exemption shall be no less than it would have been in the 1975 tax year if the person eligible for the exemption has an income falling within the income limitation established under the Elderly Householders Tax and Rent Refund Act.