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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
108TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 740, L.D. 945, Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for Tourism Promotion and Information Services."

Amend the Bill in section 2 by adding at the end of the first paragraph the following:

'The State Development Office shall submit to the Legislature a brief assessment of the accomplishments of this program annually by September 1st.'

Further amend the Bill in section 3 by striking out the 3rd paragraph and inserting in its place the following:

'The terms of the contract shall be designed to encourage a private organization to use its imagination and initiative in a tourism development effort. The contractor shall be judged primarily on his performance, with the State Development Office exercising sufficient control to protect the State's interest, which includes but is not limited to, the encouragement of tourism in now underutilized areas of Maine and the encouragement of tourism during all 4 seasons of the year.'

the first sentence of
Further amend the Bill in/section 4 by striking out the amount "\$600,000" and inserting in its place the following: '\$400,000'

Further amend the Bill in section 4 by striking out the last 3 lines/and inserting in their place the following:
before the statement of fact

	<u>1977-78</u>	<u>1978-79</u>
STATE DEVELOPMENT OFFICE		
All Other	\$200,000	\$200,000

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this Amendment is to reduce funds to matchable amounts and clarify language.

Reported by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

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