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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
108TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 879,  
L.D. 1070, Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for Consideration of the  
Economic Impact of Decisions made by the Board of Environmental  
Protection."

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the 3rd under-  
lined paragraph and inserting in its place the following:

'Before making decisions authorized by this section, the  
board shall receive and consider any testimony offered by the  
applicant on the economic benefits of any proposed project for  
which a permit is required and any proposed regulation. The  
board shall treat the application in such a manner so as to  
maximize the economic benefits without unreasonably sacrificing  
the environmental purposes of this Title.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment grants to an applicant the discretion to offer  
testimony concerning the economic benefits of a proposal which  
requires a license or permit.

(Redmond)

NAME:

COUNTY: Somerset

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