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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1219, L.D. 1446, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the Law Relating to Gas Tax Reimbursement."

Amend the Bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the gasoline tax refunds for Maine businesses is of ever-increasing importance; and

Whereas, the ability of businesses to apply for the gasoline tax rebate on a yearly basis would be of significant and immediate assistance; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend the bill by inserting before the Statement of Fact the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to add an emergency preamble and emergency clause to the bill.

Reported by the Committee on Taxation.

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