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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B " to H.P. 1673, L.D. 1868, Bill, "AN  
ACT Relating to Municipal General Assistance Programs."

Amend the Bill in section 14 in that part designated  
"\$4507." in the first paragraph by striking out all of the  
2nd underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following:  
'If a person's application has been approved there shall be no  
revocation of general assistance during the period of entitlement  
until that person has been provided notice and an opportunity  
for hearing as provided in this section. After 24 hours from  
the time a person applies for general assistance, or immediately  
after a person receives notice that an approved application has  
been revoked, that person may request a hearing within 5 working  
days.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment makes it clear that a hearing is necessary  
prior to suspension of general assistance during a limited  
period of entitlement. This is consistent with an Attorney  
General's opinion relating to the bill, dated June 15, 1977.

Filed by Mrs. Berube of Lewiston.

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