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## STATE OF MAINE SENATE (Filing No. S-491) 109TH LEGISLATURE (Filing No. S-491) SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT " A" to Joint Order, H.P. 1958

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Amend the Joint Order by striking out all of the 6th and 7th paragraphs and inserting in their place the following:

'Whereas, a thorough study of the ramifications of the State of Maine becoming a party to the International Registration Plan has never been undertaken; and

Whereas, there is evidence to indicate that the present system of collecting use fuel excise taxes under the Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 455, is seriously deficient and results in the loss of substantial revenues to the State; now, therefore, be it

Ordered, the Senate concurring, subject to the Legislative Council's review and determinations hereinafter provided, that a Select Committee on the Use Fuel Tax and the Regulation of Foreign Trucking Companies operating in this State is created, composed of 8 members, as follows: Two members of the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation, one of whom shall be a Representative appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and one of whom shall be a Senator appointed by the President of the Senate; 2 members of the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation, one Representative and one Senator appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and President of the Senate; one member representing the Maine Motor Transport Association selected by that association; one member representing the Department of the Secretary of State, Motor Vehicle Division, appointed by the Secretary of State; one member representing the Maine Municipal Association selected by that association; and one member

representing the Public Utilities Commission appointed by the Chairman of the Public Utilities Commission; and be it further

Ordered, that the committee study the administration of the Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 455 and the present system of collecting and enforcing use payment of fuel excise taxes; and be it further'

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COUNTY: Penobscot

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