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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing NO. H-128)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " to H.P. 308, L.D. 419, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Recoupment of Erroneous Payments by the Employment Security Commission."

Amend the Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'26 MRSA §1051, sub-§5, as last amended by PL 1977, c. 460, §2, is further amended by adding at the end the following new sentence:

When, in the judgment of the commission, benefits have been erroneously paid to any person without fault on his part, the commission may, prior to instituting collection proceedings under subsection 6, give the person an opportunity to repay the amount due on an installment basis.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to change provisions relating to recoupment of erroneous payments.

Reported by the Minority of the Committee on Labor Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.
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