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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 459, L.D. 572, Bill,  
"AN ACT Relating to Fatal Motor Vehicle Accidents."

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

'29 MRSA §891, 3rd ¶, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 731,  
§43, is further amended by inserting at the end the  
following new sentence:

If the accident results in serious bodily injury or death  
of any person, the investigation shall be conducted by an  
officer who has met the training standards of a full-time  
police officer.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment simplifies the language, provides  
that a trained officer shall investigate and removes the  
criminal penalty for failure to comply with the provision.

Filed by Mr. Hobbins of Saco  
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