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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-283) 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT" "to H.P. 707, L.D. 891, Bill, "AN ACT Concerning Access by Physically Disabled Persons to Certain Public Facilities."

Amend the bill in section 1, 5th line (3rd line in LD) by inserting before the words <u>"toilet facilities"</u> the words <u>'modern flush'</u>

Further amend the bill in section 1 by striking out in the 8th line the following: <u>"section 2701"</u> (5th and 6th line in LD) and inserting the following in its place:

'sections 2701 and 2702 respectively.'

Further amend the bill in section 11 by striking out all of the next to the last paragraph and inserting the following in its place:

'All coin telephones placed or replaced after the effective date of this chapter in any public place, or any area to which the public is invited, which are intended for use by the public, shall be placed at a height and in a position which permits their use by physically disabled persons, as defined in Title 25, sections 2701 and 2702 respectively.'

Statement of Fact

The amendment clarifies some printing errors and statutory references in the bill.

It also states that only telephones placed or replaced after the effective date of the bill will be required to meet these reCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT" # "to H.P. 707, L.D. 891,

quirements for access by the physically disabled, and that only modern flush toilet facilities are required to be made accessible.

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