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

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HOUSE AMENDMENT " D " H.P. 1936, L.D. 1988, Bill, "AN ACT

Relating to Periodic Justification of Departments and Agencies

of State Government under the Maine Sunset Law."

Amend the Bill in Part B by striking out under the caption "AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF" the following:

'Agricultural Marketing Services

Positions (-7)

Personal Services (\$100,000)

All Other (28,200)

Capital Expenditures (10,300)

Provides for the transfer of 3 positions and funds to the Division of Inspections to enforce the branding law. Four positions are eliminated.'

Further amend the Bill in Part B by striking out all of the last line and inserting in its place the following:

'TOTAL PART B - GENERAL FUND (\$283,200)'

HOUSE AMENDMENT "D" to H.P. 1936, L.D. 1988

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Further amend the Bill in Part C under the caption "AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF" by striking out under "Consumer Services" the following:

"Positions

(3)

Personal Services

\$42,800

All Other

12,070

Provided for by the transfer of 3 positions and funds from Agricultural Marketing Services. These 3 positions shall be used primarily to provide for

inspection of grocery stores, apple storage facilities and other food manufacturers to enforce various food laws, including the branding laws which are administered by the Department of Agriculture.

Further amend the Bill in Part C by striking out all of the last line and inserting in its place the following:

'TOTAL PART C - GENERAL FUND

\$176,200'

Statement of Fact is to

The purpose of this amendment/eliminate from the bill the provision for the transfer of 3 positions and funds to the Division of Inspections to enforce the branding law and the elimination of four positions.

Filed by Mr. Sherburne of Dexter
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