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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-18)

SENATE AMENDMENT "C" to H.P. 28, L.D. 32, Bill, "AN ACT Pertaining to Employment of Minors in Hotels and Motels."

Amend the Bill by inserting at the end before the Statement of Fact the following:

'Sec. 5. 26 MRSA §775, first ¶ is amended to read:

No minor under 16 years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in, about or in connection with any gainful occupation, subject to the prohibitions set forth in section 773, unless the person, firm or corporation employing such child procures and keeps on file accessible to any attendance officer, factory inspector or other authorized officer charged with the enforcement of this subchapter a work permit issued to such child, with a parent's written consent, by the superintendent of schools of the city or town in which the child resides, or by some person authorized by him in writing.

Sec. 6. 26 MRSA §781 is amended to read: §781. Penalties; employers

Any person, firm or corporation, agent or manager of any firm or corporation, who, either for himself or for some firm or corporation, or by himself, or through his agents, servants or foremen, employ's, permits or suffers any child to be employed, or to work in violation of any of the provisions

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of sections 771 to 780, or otherwise fails to comply with any of the provisions of said sections, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 100 nor more than 200.

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to require parental consent for minors obtaining work permits and to increase the penalty provisions relating to minors.

(Pray)
NAME:
COUNTY: Perobscot

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