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Referred to the Committee on Health and Institutional Services. Sent up for
concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Prescott of Hampden.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

AN ACT to Increase the Eating, Lodging and Recreational Place Licensing Fee.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA § 2494, first ¶, first sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 496, § 3, is amended to read:

Each application for, or for renewal of, a license to operate an eating establishment, eating and lodging place, lodging place, recreational camp, camping area or mobile home park within the meaning of this chapter shall be accompanied by a fee, appropriate to the size of the establishment, place, camp, area or park of the licensee, determined by the department and not to exceed ~~30~~ \$50.

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA § 2494, 2nd ¶, 2nd sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 496, § 3, is amended to read:

When additional inspections are required to determine an applicant's eligibility for licensure, the department is authorized through its regulations to charge an additional ~~10~~ \$15 fee to cover the costs for each additional inspection or visit.

Sec. 3. 22 MRSA § 2499, sub-§ 6, last sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 496, § 3, is amended to read:

However, the licensee shall be required to pay the department a sum not to exceed ~~6~~ \$10 to support the **administrative costs of mailing and handling**.

STATEMENT OF FACT

With increased personnel, administrative and transportation costs, the licensure fee maximums need to be adjusted.