

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
110TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-372)

SENATE AMENDMENT " A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to  
H.P. 801, L.D. 955, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the Maine Tree  
Growth Tax Law."

Amend the amendment by striking out section 3 and  
inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 3. 36 MRSA §573, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1973,  
c. 308, §2, is repealed and the following enacted in its  
place:

3. Forest land. "Forest land" means land used primarily  
for growth of trees <sup>to be</sup> harvested for commerical use, but does  
not include ledge, marsh, open swamp, bog, water and similar  
areas, which are unsuitable for growing a forest product or  
for harvesting for commercial use even though these areas  
may exist within forest lands.

← Land which would otherwise be included within this  
definition shall not be excluded because of multiple use  
for public recreation.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment tightens the definition of forest land to  
assure a relationship between eligibility and commercial use.

(Sen. Teague

NAME:



COUNTY: Somerset