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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-253)
110TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 378
L.D. 1136, Bill, "AN ACT to Exempt Certain Signs from the Bill-
board Law."

Amend the Amendment by striking out everything after the
title and inserting in its place the following:

Amend the Bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting
in its place the following:

Sec. 2. 23 MRSA 1913, sub-§1, ¶¶K and L are enacted to read:

- K. Signs providing directions only to a seasonal place of
business engaged exclusively in selling agricultural pro-
ducts raised or harvested primarily on the premises. A
business may erect no more than 6 signs with a surface area
not to exceed 12 inches by 48 inches per sign. For the
purposes of this paragraph, "seasonal" includes a reasonable
period of time after harvest of an agricultural product during
which that product is stored and kept for sale; and
- L. Signs erected by operators of seasonal camping facilities
open 6 months or less to direct the public to these facilities.

Statement of Fact

This amendment has 3 purposes:

1. It permits farm stores exempted from the billboard law to
sell, as an incidental part of their business, other agricultural
products not raised or harvested on the premises;

2. It ensures that "seasonal" includes a reasonable period of time after harvest during which produce is refrigerated and continued to be sold; and

3. To permit seasonal camping facilities operating 6 months or less to direct the public to their facilities.

Filed by Miss Brown of Bethel.
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