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STATE OF MAINE
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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1589, L.D. 1680, Bill,
"AN ACT to Maintain and Improve Marine Patrol Services."

Amend the Bill by inserting at the end before the fiscal
note the following:

'Sec. 17. Repeal. This Act shall be repealed January 1,
1982, unless the Commissioner of Marine Resources has
demonstrated to the Legislature, prior to this date, that the
Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences will pay to the Department
of Marine Resources, for lease of property and buildings located
at McKown Point, Boothbay Harbor, Maine, a fee of at least
\$50,000 for fiscal year 1982 and at least \$62,000 for fiscal year
1983.'

Statement of Fact

The Department of Marine Resources is recently negotiating
with the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences a long-term lease
for valuable laboratory facilities and land at McKown Point,
Boothbay Harbor. Bigelow Laboratory is not paying the State
anything for this lease, in spite of the fact that the Department
of Marine Resources is hard pressed financially.

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