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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1270, L.D. 1684,

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Bill, "AN ACT to Create a Maine Sentencing Guidelines

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Commission."

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Amend the bill in section 2, by striking out all of the first paragraph (page 2, lines 3 to 19 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

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'Sec. 2. Establishment of commission. There is created the Maine Sentencing Guidelines Commission which shall be comprised of 9 members, including the State Court Administrator or his designee, the Commissioner of Corrections or his designee, a representative of the Corrections Advisory Committee, 2 members of the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over judiciary to be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, a criminal defense attorney, a district attorney and 2 members of the public to be appointed by the Governor.'

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Further amend the bill in section 7, in the 2nd and 3rd lines (page 4, lines 33 and 34 in L.D.) by striking out the words "complete the study and report" and inserting in its place the following: 'make an interim report of'

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Further amend the bill in section 7, by inserting after the first sentence the following: 'A final report shall be submitted to that Legislature prior to December 1, 1984.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment changes the appointing authority for the defense attorney and district attorney mem-

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1 bers of the commission and amends the reporting date
2 to allow more time, if necessary, to complete the
3 study.

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