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L.D. 1955

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
111TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 709,
L.D. 1955, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend Certain Rules of
the Emergency Medical Services."

Amend the bill by striking out everything after
the enacting clause and inserting in its place the
following:

'32 MRSA §84, sub-§1, ¶D, as enacted by PL 1981,
c. 661, §2, is amended to read:

D. Regulations promulgated pursuant to this
chapter shall include, but not be limited to, the
following:

(1) The composition of regional councils
and the process by which they come to be
recognized as representing their regions;

(2) The manner in which regional councils
shall report their activities and finances,
and the manner in which those activities
shall be carried out under this chapter;

(3) The designation of regions within the
State;

(4) The requirements for licensure for all
vehicles, persons and services subject to
this chapter, and including training and
testing of personnel; and

(5) Fees to be charged for licenses under
this section, except that no fee may be
charged for the licensing of emergency medi-
cal services' persons under this chapter.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 709, L.D. 1955

1 In adopting any regulation under subparagraph (4)
2 which requires services which deliver advanced
3 care to meet a specified percentage level of per-
4 formance, the regulation shall not take effect
5 until after January 1, 1986 and unless the level
6 is specified after study, in cooperation with re-
7 gional councils and local service units.'

8 STATEMENT OF FACT

9 This amendment replaces the bill's prohibition on
10 establishing a performance requirement for advanced
11 life support services. Instead, a regulation about a
12 performance requirement must be studied by the De-
13 partment of Human Services, together with local emer-
14 gency medical services units and the regional coun-
15 cils, and cannot take effect before January 1, 1986.

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