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L.D. 2213

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(Filing No. S- 401)

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STATE OF MAINE

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SENATE

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111TH LEGISLATURE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 827,

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L.D. 2213, Bill, "AN ACT to Authorize a General Fund

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Bond Issue in the Amount of \$10,035,000 for Construc-

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tion and Renovation of Correctional Facilities."

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Amend the bill by inserting before the Preamble

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the following:

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'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legis-

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lature do not become effective until 90 days after

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adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

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Whereas, there is an immediate need for construc-

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tion and renovation of several correctional facili-

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ties; and

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Whereas, there is already scheduled an election

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in June, 1984, at which time the electorate could

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vote upon ratification of the bond issue authorized

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in this Act; and

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Whereas, if the bond issue is ratified in June,

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1984, construction and renovation could begin during

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the 1984 construction season; and

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Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature,

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these facts create an emergency within the meaning of

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the Constitution of Maine and require the following

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legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-

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vation of the public peace, health and safety; now,

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therefore, '

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Further amend the bill in section 1 in the 4th

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and 5th lines (page 1, lines 33 and 34 in L.D.) by

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striking out the words "serial coupon" and inserting

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in their place the word 'registered'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A' to S.P. 827, L.D. 2213

1 Further amend the bill in section 1 in the 3rd
2 sentence in the 2nd line (page 2, line 5 in L.D.) by
3 striking out the figure "20" and inserting in its
4 place the figure '10'

5 Further amend the bill in section 10 (page 3,
6 line 24 in L.D.) by deleting the words "effective
7 date" and inserting in their place the following:
8 'emergency clause'

9 Further amend the bill in section 10 by striking
10 out all of the 2nd paragraph (page 3, lines 35 and 36
11 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

12 ' "Do you favor a \$10,035,000 bond issue to build
13 and renovate prisons?"'

14 Further amend the bill in section 10 (page 4,
15 line 12 in L.D.) by inserting after the punctuation
16 and word ", and" the following: 'in view of the emer-
17 gency set out in the preamble'

18 Further amend the bill by inserting before the
19 statement of fact the following:

20 ' FISCAL NOTE

21 The total cost is estimated to be \$14,676,689.
22 This amount includes interest calculated at 8.41%
23 over 10 years.'

24 STATEMENT OF FACT

25 The purpose of this amendment is to reduce the
26 life of bonds from 20 years to 10 years and add an
27 emergency preamble and emergency clause.

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