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L.D. 2267

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
111TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 838,
L.D. 2267, Bill, "AN ACT to Authorize a General Fund
Bond Issue in the Amount of \$4,950,000 for Energy
Conservation, Capital Improvements, Construction,
Renovations, Equipment and Furnishings for Various
State Departments."

Amend the bill by inserting before the Preamble
the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legis-
lature do not become effective until 90 days after
adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, there is an immediate need for funding
for energy conservation, capital improvements, con-
struction, renovations, equipment and furnishings for
various state departments; and

Whereas, there is already scheduled an election
in June 1984, at which time the electorate could vote
upon ratification of the bond issue authorized in
this Act; and

Whereas, if the bond issue is ratified in June
1984, construction, renovation and capital improve-
ments could begin during the 1984 construction sea-
son; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature,
these facts create an emergency within the meaning of
the Constitution of Maine and require the following
legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-
vation of the public peace, health and safety; now,
therefore, '

Further amend the bill in section 1 in the 5th

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 838, L.D. 2267

1 and 6th lines (page 2, lines 1 and 2 in L.D.) by
2 striking out the words "serial coupon" and inserting
3 in their place the word 'registered'

4 Further amend the bill in section 1 in the 5th
5 line from the end (page 2, line 9 in L.D.) by strik-
6 ing out the figure "20" and inserting in its place
7 the figure '10'

8 Further amend the bill in section 11 (page 4,
9 line 2 in L.D.) by deleting the words "effective
10 date" and inserting in their place the following:
11 'emergency clause'

12 Further amend the bill in section 11 by striking
13 out all of the 2nd paragraph (page 4, lines 13 and 14
14 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

15 "Do you favor a \$4,950,000 bond issue for state
16 building repairs, additions and energy savings?"

17 Further amend the bill in section 11, 3rd para-
18 graph (page 4, line 26 in L.D.) by inserting after
19 the punctuation and word ", and" the following: ', in
20 view of the emergency set out in the preamble,'

21 Further amend the bill by inserting before the
22 Statement of Fact the following:

23 'FISCAL NOTE

24 The total cost of this bill is estimated to be
25 \$7,239,622. This amount includes interest calculated
26 at 8.41% over 10 years.'

27 STATEMENT OF FACT

28 The purpose of this amendment is to add an emer-
29 gency preamble and clause to the bill and to change
30 the life of bonds from 20 years to 10 years.

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