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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 932, L.D. 2490,  
Bill, "AN ACT Making Appropriations and Changing Cer-  
tain Provisions of the Law Necessary for the Proper  
Operation of State Government for the Fiscal Year  
Ending June 30, 1985."

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Amend the bill in section 26, in that part desig-  
nated "§1353," in subsection 1 by striking out all of  
the first 9 lines (page 15, lines 1 to 9 in L.D.) and  
inserting in their place the following:

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1. Conditions. Any member while in service may  
receive a disability retirement allowance upon writ-  
ten application to the executive director and approv-  
al of that application by a majority of the Justices  
of the Supreme Judicial Court if the following condi-  
tions are met:

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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The purpose of this amendment is to address the  
following concerns in the present proposal:

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1. There is no written test or procedure out-  
lined nor do the Justices of the Supreme Judicial  
Court have the medical expertise to handle disability  
cases; and

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1           2. Under both procedures as outlined in the Act,  
2    the justice seeking a disability retirement allowance  
3    is effectively denied an appeal of the decision.

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