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3 STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 4 5 112TH LEGISLATURE 6 FIRST REGULAR SESSION COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " $\mathcal{A}$ " to H.P. 521, L.D. 741, 7 Bill, "AN ACT to Create the Maine Rainy Day Fund." 8 9 Amend the bill by inserting before the enacting 10 clause the following: 11 'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legis-12 lature do not become effective until 90 days after 13 adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and 14 Whereas, it is extremely important for the State 15 to begin reducing its debt service costs as soon as possible; and 16 17 Whereas, contributions to the Maine Rainy Day 18 Fund will accomplish this goal; and 19 Whereas, contributions to this fund will be delayed by more than a year if this bill does not be-20 come effective before June 30, 1985; and 21 22 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of 23 24 the Constitution of Maine and require the following 25 legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,' 26 27 28 Further amend the bill by inserting before the statement of fact the following: 29 30 'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.' 31 32

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STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this amendment is to add an emer-gency preamble and emergency clause to the bill. 2 3

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