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1 L.D. 999  
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3 STATE OF MAINE  
4 SENATE  
5 112TH LEGISLATURE  
6 FIRST REGULAR SESSION

7 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 351, L.D. 999,  
8 Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Medicaid Reimbursement  
9 Rates for Audiology and Speech Pathology."

10 Amend the Bill by striking out all of the emer-  
11 gency preamble.

12 Further amend the Bill in section 1 in the 11th  
13 and 12 lines (page 2, lines 13 and 14 in L.D.) by  
14 striking out the words "and to increase the reim-  
15 bursement for hospital" and in lines 12 and 13 (page  
16 2, lines 14 and 15 in L.D.) by striking out the words  
17 "and reimbursements"

18 Further amend the Bill in section 2 by striking  
19 out all of the last line (page 2, line 27 in L.D.)  
20 and inserting in its place the following:

21 'All Other \$50,000 \$70,000'

22 Further amend the Bill in section 3 by striking  
23 out all of the last line and inserting in its place  
24 the following:

25 'All Other \$110,565 \$154,791'

26 Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the  
27 emergency clause and inserting in its place the fol-  
28 lowing:

29 'Sec. 4. Effective date. This Act shall take ef-  
30 fect October 1, 1985.'

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 351, L.D. 999

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment provides funds to increase fees paid to private and agency-based providers for audiology and speech-language pathology services. It also removes the emergency preamble and emergency clause from the bill and amends the appropriation sections accordingly.

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Reported by Senator Dow for the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

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