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L.D. 1117

(Filing No. H-196)

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
112TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 784, L.D. 1117, Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for Legislative Oversight Prior to the Implementation of Departmental Rules."

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Amend the Bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following: 'AN ACT to Provide Legislative Committees with Copies of Rules Proposed by State Agencies.'

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Further amend the Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

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'5 MRSA §8053-A is enacted to read:

§8053-A. Notice to legislative committees

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At least 20 days prior to the adoption of any rule, the agency shall provide copies of the rule to the Legislative Administrative Director of the Legislature. The Legislative Administrative Director, or his designee, shall refer the rule to the appropriate joint standing committee or committees of the Legislature for review.

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1. Additional information to be submitted. In addition to providing the Legislative Administrative Director with a sufficient number of copies of a proposed rule for each member of the appropriate committee or committees, the agency shall also provide to the Legislative Administrative Director sufficient copies of a fact sheet providing:

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A. A citation of the statutory authority for the adoption of the rule;

