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L.D. 1178
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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
112TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 834, L.D. 1178, Bill, "AN ACT to Establish a Vehicle Rental Agency in the Department of Conservation."

Amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause the following:

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

Whereas, the Department of Conservation is developing a pilot vehicle rental project which would apply to other agencies of State Government; and

Whereas, this pilot project will be subject to a sunset provision of July 1, 1987, unless reenacted by the Legislature; and

Whereas, the results of the pilot rental project may be more easily calculated in accordance with the fiscal year of State Government; and

Whereas, the fiscal year begins on July 1, which occurs prior to the effective date of legislation enacted during the First Regular Session of the 112th Legislature; 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 preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend the bill by adding before the Statement of Fact the following:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 834, L.D. 1178

1 '§5032. Termination date

2 This chapter shall be repealed on July 1, 1987,
3 unless reenacted by the Legislature.

4 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited
5 in the preamble, this Act shall take effect on July
6 1, 1985.'

7 STATEMENT OF FACT

8 The purpose of this amendment is to allow the De-
9 partment of Conservation to initiate operation of the
10 agency on July 1, 1985, which will allow the results
11 of the project to be measured consistent with the
12 fiscal years of State Government.

13 This amendment also provides a 2-year sunset date
14 for the operation of the pilot vehicle rental agency.
15 The "pilot" agency will terminate on July 1, 1987.

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