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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1070, L.D. 1551,
8 Bill, "AN ACT to Clarify Taxpayer Information on Local
9 Property Tax Bills."

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Amend the Bill by inserting before the enacting
11 clause the following:

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

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Whereas, 90 days after the adjournment of the
16 Legislature will fall on a date after which many lo-
17 cal property tax bills will have already been pre-
18 pared; and

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Whereas, this bill is immediately necessary to
20 relieve municipalities from the burden of making in-
21 dividual calculations for each tax bill prepared; and

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Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature,
23 these facts create an emergency within the meaning of
24 the Constitution of Maine and require the following
25 legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-
26 vation of the public peace, health and safety; now,
27 therefore, '

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Further amend the Bill by inserting at the end
29 before the Statement of Fact the following:

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'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency
31 cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect
32 when approved.'

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1070, L.D. 1551

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2 This amendment adds an emergency preamble and
3 emergency clause so that the relief provided by the
4 bill to municipalities will apply to this year's tax
5 bills.

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