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L.D. 1407

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STATE OF MAINE  
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1044, L.D.  
1407, Bill, "AN ACT to Make the Director of Safety a  
Major Policy-influencing Position."

Amend the Bill by inserting after the title the  
following:

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

Whereas, the Director of the Bureau of Safety re-  
tired from that position on February 27, 1987; and

Whereas, the acting Director of the Bureau of  
Safety will be vacating that position on or before  
June 30, 1987; and

Whereas, it is important to the operation of the  
Bureau of Safety, in its continuous effort to provide  
highway safety services to the State, that the new  
director be in place as soon as possible; 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 preser-  
vation of the public peace, health and safety; now,  
therefore,'

Further amend the Bill by inserting before the  
statement of fact the following:

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

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2           The purpose of this amendment is to make the bill  
3 emergency legislation. The bill itself changes the  
4 position of the Director of the Bureau of Safety from  
5 a classified to a major policy-influencing position.  
6 The present acting director will be vacating the po-  
7 sition on or before June 30, 1987, and a new director  
8 should be in place shortly thereafter, to provide for  
9 the uninterrupted administration of the bureau.

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