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L.D. 1644

(Filing No. H- 205)

STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
113TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1206, L.D. 1644, Bill, "AN ACT Creating a Study on Uniform Liquor Pricing and Other Factors in the Operation of the State Liquor Commission and the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages."

Amend the amendment by inserting after the first paragraph after the title the following:

'Further amend the bill in section 5 in the 4th line (page 4, line 9 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "subcommittee" the following: 'of the Joint Standing Committee on Legal Affairs'

Further amend the amendment in section 6 in the 3rd line (page 1, line 21 in amendment) by striking out the following: "the current allocation" and inserting in its place the following: 'current resources'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section 7 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 7. **Appropriation.** The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

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Study Commission - Funding

Personal Services \$ 550  
All Other 500

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|   |                         |         |
|---|-------------------------|---------|
| 1 | Total                   | \$1,050 |
| 2 | Provides funds for per  |         |
| 3 | diem and related ex-    |         |
| 4 | penses for 2 meetings   |         |
| 5 | of a 5-member subcom-   |         |
| 6 | mittee of the Joint     |         |
| 7 | Standing Committee on   |         |
| 8 | Legal Affairs for a Li- |         |
| 9 | quor Pricing Study.'    |         |

10 STATEMENT OF FACT

11 This amendment makes 3 technical corrections to  
12 the bill as amended by the Senate amendment. First,  
13 the name of the Joint Standing Committee on Legal Af-  
14 fairs was inadvertently left out of section 5 of the  
15 bill, so that it is unclear that the 5-member subcom-  
16 mittee was to be a subcommittee of the legal affairs  
17 committee. This amendment clarifies that provision.

18 Second, the amendment corrects the appropriation  
19 section to delete the reference to 5 positions for  
20 the study. This was incorrectly included in the sec-  
21 tion to refer to the 5 Legislators serving on the  
22 subcommittee and was never intended to create 5 new  
23 positions. The appropriation section is replaced  
24 with that line eliminated and the legislative account  
25 correctly named.

