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L.D. 2163

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1585, L.D. 2163,  
Bill, "AN ACT to Improve Retraining Opportunities for  
Dislocated Workers. "

Amend the bill in section 1, in paragraph B, in  
the 11th and 12th lines (page 2, lines 9 and 10 in  
L.D.) by striking out the following: "he thereafter  
actively attends and makes satisfactory progress in"  
and inserting in its place the following: 'that person  
is in'

Further amend the bill in section 2, in paragraph  
A, by striking out all of the first paragraph (page 3,  
lines 10 to 27 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the  
following:

'A. If a dislocated worker, as defined in section  
1196, subsection 1, who is in training approved  
under section 1192, subsection 6, 6-A or 6-B,  
qualifies for an extended benefit year  
additional benefits under section 1043, subsection  
5, paragraph B, or exhausts the maximum amount  
of his entitlement to benefits available to him  
under this subsection, the maximum amount under  
this subsection shall be increased by the  
product of his most recent weekly benefit amount  
multiplied by the number of weeks in which he  
thereafter attends an approved training program.

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1 No increase may be made under this paragraph, with  
2 respect to any benefit year period, greater  
3 than 26 times the individual's weekly benefit  
4 amount.'

5 Further amend the bill by inserting before the  
6 statement of fact the following:

7 'Sec. 5. Appropriation. The following funds  
8 are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out  
9 the purposes of this Act.

	<u>1987-88</u>	<u>1988-89</u>
11 <u>LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF</u>		
12 Job Training Partnership		
13 Program		
14 Personal Services	\$ 13,000	\$ 52,000
15 All Other	287,000	123,000
16		
17 Total	<u>\$300,000</u>	<u>\$175,000</u>
18 Provides funds to		
19 meet additional		
20 job training		
21 demands.'		

22 STATEMENT OF FACT

23 This amendment removes the stipulation that  
24 dislocated workers actively attend and make progress  
25 in an approved training program and maintains the  
26 provisions of present law requiring a person to be in  
27 an approved training program.

28 An appropriation section is added to cover  
29 retraining costs for dislocated workers.

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