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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
114TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "*B*" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 154, L.D. 274, Bill, "An Act to Permit Law Enforcement Officers to Solicit Funds for a Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial"

Amend the amendment by striking out everything after the title and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the emergency clause and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. Solicitation for a slain law enforcement officers' memorial. For one year following the effective date of this Act, the prohibition on solicitation under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 25, section 3702, shall not apply to persons authorized under section 2 of this Act to solicit funds for the payment of or to pay for any obligations incurred in the completion, erection and maintenance of one memorial to commemorate law enforcement officers slain in the line of duty, to be erected at a location selected by the Maine Chiefs of Police Association. If the location selected by the Maine Chiefs of Police Association is owned by or under the control of the State or any of its political subdivisions, the entity having jurisdiction over the location must approve the use of the location for the purposes of this Act.

Sec. 2. Persons authorized to solicit. The following persons may solicit funds as provided in section 1 of this Act:

1. **Law enforcement officers.** Law enforcement officers, with the consent of the chief administrator of the law enforcement agency employing those officers; and

2. **Any other person.** Any other person, with the consent of the Maine Chiefs of Police Association.

No law enforcement officer may solicit funds as provided by section 1 of this Act while in uniform. The chief administrator of each law enforcement agency shall provide the Maine Chiefs of

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1 Police Association with a list of those law enforcement officers
the chief administrator has authorized to solicit funds as
3 provided by section 1 of this Act. The Maine Chiefs of Police
Association shall maintain a list of those authorized to solicit
5 funds as provided by section 1 of this Act.''

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STATEMENT OF FACT

11 This amendment clarifies that if the location chosen is
public property, the entity with jurisdiction over the location
13 must approve the use of the location for the purposes of this
amendment.

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