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**STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "**A**" to H.P. 432, L.D. 597, Bill, "An Act Relating to the Dig-safe Law"

Amend the bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

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

Whereas, changes concerning exceptions to the dig-safe laws need to be made before the summer maintenance season begins; 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 preservation 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.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment makes the bill an emergency measure.

Reported by the Committee on Transportation
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