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7	STATE OF MAINE SENATE
9	114TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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13	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " $^{ m A}$ " to S.P. 252, L.D. 642, Bill, "Ar Act to Amend the Lake Watershed Association Enabling Laws"
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17	Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following:
19	'An Act to Amend the Lake Watershed District Enabling Laws'
21	Further amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause the following:
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25	'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and
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29	Whereas, municipalities wishing to form a lake watershed district for the next fiscal year need to act before the end of the current legislative session; and
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33	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
35	necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
37	safety; now, therefore,'
39	Further amend the bill in section 7 by inserting after the first underlined sentence (page 6, line 2 in L.D.) the following:
41	'Any contributions paid by a participating water district shall be recovered, with carrying costs, in the district's next rate
43	case.'
45	Further amend the bill by inserting before the statement of fact the following:
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49	'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.'

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 252, L.D. 642

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment changes the title of the bill to more accurately reflect the intent of the bill and adds an emergency preamble and emergency clause. The amendment also adds language allowing water districts to recover costs for their participation in a lake watershed district in their next rate case.

Reported by Senator Erwin for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12.

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