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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 298, L.D. 796, Bill, "An Act to Remove the Present Dollar Limit on Funeral, Cremation and Burial Expenses Relative to Restitution by Criminal Offenders "

Amend the bill in paragraph A, in the 8th line (page 1, line 13 in L.D.) by inserting after the underlined word "reasonable" the following: 'and customary'

STATEMENT OF FACT

The amendment changes the bill to require that judges, in determining the amount of restitution an offender must pay for funeral expenses, shall consider whether a given funeral expense was one customarily incurred in purchasing funeral services, in addition to whether the expense was reasonable.

Reported by Senator Matthews for the Committee on Legal Affairs. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12.

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