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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 832, L.D. 1164, Bill, "An Act to Allow the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages in Bowling Centers"

Amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "§1073." in subsection 2 by adding at the end a new sentence to read: 'For bowling centers, at least 10% of the gross annual income, not including income from the bowling business, must be from the sale of food.'

Further amend the bill in section 6 in that part designated "§1073." by striking out all of subsection 3 and inserting in its place the following:

'3. Separate area for sale of food and liquor. The licensee shall set aside a separate area for the sale and consumption of food and liquor in accordance with the rules of the commission. For bowling centers, that separate area may not include the area in which the game of bowling is conducted.'

FISCAL NOTE

This bill may result in a minor increase of undedicated General Fund revenues from an increase in liquor license fee collections.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

The amendment changes the bill to require that licensees operating bowling centers derive at least 10% of their gross income from food, rather than liquor business, and that these licensees restrict the sale and consumption of liquor to an area away from the bowling lanes.

This amendment also adds a fiscal note.