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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
114TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 699,
L.D. 1837, Bill, "An Act Related to the State Board of Substance
Abuse Counselors"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the 3rd indented
paragraph after the title the following:

'Further amend the bill in section 6 in subsection 4-A in
the 8th line (page 2, line 52 in L.D.) by inserting after the
following: "appropriate." the following: 'The board shall
request the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House
of Representatives to jointly appoint the number of legislative
members that the board desires for the committee.'

Further amend the amendment in that part designated "**§6215.**"
in the 10th line (page 2, line 18 in amendment) by striking out
the following: "\$50 \$150" and inserting in its place the
following: '\$50'

Further amend the amendment in that part designated "**§6215.**"
in the 13th line (page 2, line 21 in amendment) by striking out
the following: "\$100 \$150" and inserting in its place the
following: '\$100'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section 9
and inserting in its place the following:

**'Sec. 9. 32 MRSA §6219, first ¶, as amended by PL 1987, c.
395, Pt. A, §211, is further amended to read:**

The license and certificate of registration shall expire
biennially on August 31st or at such other time as the
Commissioner of Professional and Financial Regulation may
designate. Licensure or registration may be renewed for the
succeeding 2-year period upon written application of the
registrant, the approval of the board and the payment of the fee
provided. A fee for renewal of license or certificate of
registration ~~shall be set by the board in an amount not to exceed
\$25--and--shall--be~~ is \$100 biennially for licensing and \$50
biennially for registration, due and payable on or before the

2 expiration date. Before a license or certificate of registration
3 may be renewed, the applicant shall must present evidence of
4 continued professional learning and training of a type which-is
5 acceptable to the board.'

6 Further amend the amendment in section 10 by striking out
7 everything after the following: "State Board of Substance Abuse
8 Counselors" (page 3, lines 17 to 20 in amendment) and inserting
9 in its place the following:

10 'All Other \$8,000
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12 Authorizes expenditure of
13 additional funds for
14 increased general operating
15 costs.'

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17 Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the
18 fiscal note and inserting in its place the following:

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20 FISCAL NOTE
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22 1990-91
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24 Allocations
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26 Other Special Revenue Funds \$8,000
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28 Revenues
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30 Other Special Revenue Funds \$8,000
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32 This bill increases fees to the State Board of Substance
33 Abuse Counselors resulting in additional dedicated revenue of
34 \$8,000 in fiscal year 1990-91. An amount equal to the projected
35 increase in revenues is allocated from Other Special Revenue
36 funds.'

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40 STATEMENT OF FACT

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42 This amendment adds language to the committee amendment to
43 clarify that legislative members of the advisory committee to the
44 State Board of Substance Abuse Counselors are appointed by
45 legislative leadership.

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47 This amendment removes changes made by the committee
48 amendment to initial license and registration fees. The
49 amendment also restructures the renewal fees so that a license
50 renewal is \$100 biennially and registration renewal is \$50
biennially.

