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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1647, L.D. 2280, "Resolve, to Create a Pilot Project for a Substance Abuse Halfway House for Pregnant Women and Mothers with Young Children"

Amend the resolve in section 3 in the last line (page 1, line 29 in resolve) by inserting after the word "matters" the following: 'and the Office of the Executive Director of the Legislative Council'

Further amend the resolve by striking out all of section 4 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 4. Funding. Resolved: That it is the intent of the Legislature that the pilot project authorized by this resolve be funded from any future increase in the federal Alcohol and Drug and Mental Health Block Grant if allowable by the Federal Government. The project must be developed as soon as funds from the increase in the block grant for this purpose are allocated by the Legislature.

FISCAL NOTE

Funding this project from future increases in federal block grant funds will reduce the amount of funds available for the costs associated with collective bargaining, as well as normal inflationary increases in planned expenses. This may result in the need to request a General Fund appropriation to offset the loss of future increases in the federal block grant because of the diversion of funds to this project.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment removes the appropriation for a pilot substance abuse halfway house for pregnant women and mothers with young children and provides that the project be funded from any future increases in federal Alcohol and Drug and Mental Health Block Grant funds.