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**STATE OF MAINE  
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SENATE AMENDMENT " B " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1741, L.D. 2405, Bill, "An Act Regarding Importation of Liquor"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the first paragraph after the title.

Further amend the amendment in the 2nd paragraph after the title in the first line (page 1, line 20 in the amendment) by striking out the following: "Further amend" and inserting in its place the following: 'Amend'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the 3rd, 4th and 5th paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 24 to 32 in amendment).

**STATEMENT OF FACT**

This amendment makes possession of more than 8 quarts of spirits, not labeled in accordance with the State's bottle bill, prima facie evidence of illegal importation or transportation of spirits. Because provisions of the bottle bill could create enforcement problems in regards to possession of malt liquor or wine containers, this amendment strikes out that portion of the committee amendment creating a similar prima facie rule applicable to malt liquor or wine containers.

(Senator MATTHEWS)  
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