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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
115TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 239, L.D. 330, Bill, "An Act to Increase Funding to Programs Dealing with Domestic Violence"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the title the following:

'Amend the bill by inserting after the enacting clause the following:

'Sec. 1. 19 MRSA §666 is enacted to read:

§666. Additional filing fee

In addition to the filing fee required by the court, a person filing for divorce shall pay a fee of \$40. The court shall forward monthly to the Department of Human Services \$40 of each fee collected and the department shall deposit the funds in a dedicated revenue account for the support of domestic violence programs in accordance with Title 22, section 8502.'

Further amend the amendment in the first paragraph after the title in the first line (page 1, line 17 in amendment) by striking out the following: "Amend" and inserting in its place the following: 'Further amend'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the 2nd to 4th paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 21 to 35 in amendment) and inserting in their place the following:

'Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 2.'

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

2 FISCAL NOTE

4 1991-92 1992-93

6 APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS

8 Other Funds \$225,000 \$300,000

10 REVENUES

12 Other Funds \$225,000 \$300,000

14 This bill allocates additional dedicated revenue to the
16 Department of Human Services resulting from an increase in the
fee for divorce filings.

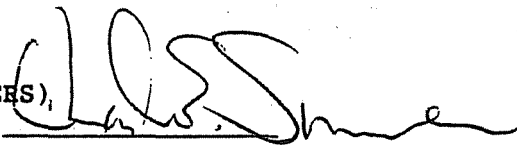
18 The Department of Human Services will absorb the costs
20 associated with reporting, rulemaking and administering these
funds within budgeted resources.

22 Further amend the amendment by inserting at the end before
24 the statement of fact the following:

26 'Further amend the bill by renumbering the sections to read
consecutively.'

28 STATEMENT OF FACT

30 This amendment eliminates the language increasing the
32 marriage license fee. The amendment increases the filing fee for
34 divorce by \$40 to fund the operation of domestic violence
programs.

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38 (Senator SUMMERS),
SPONSORED BY: 

40 COUNTY: Cumberland

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