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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 318, L.D. 448, Bill, "An Act Concerning Waste Management"

Amend the bill by inserting after the enacting clause and before section 1 the following:

'Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §1303-C, sub-§§12, 13 and 41, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 585, Pt. E, §4, are amended to read:

12. **Disposal.** "Disposal" means the discharge, deposit, dumping, incineration, spilling, leaking or placing of any hazardous, biomedical or solid waste, waste oil, refuse-derived fuel, sludge or septage into or on any land, air or water so that the hazardous, biomedical or solid waste, waste oil, refuse-derived fuel, sludge or septage or any constituent thereof may enter the environment or be emitted into the air, or discharged into any waters, including ground waters.

13. **Generation.** "Generation" means the act or process of producing hazardous, biomedical or solid waste, waste oil, sludge or septage.

41. **Waste management.** "Waste management" means purposeful, systematic and unified control of the handling and transportation of hazardous, biomedical or solid waste, waste oil, sludge or septage.'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 6 (page 2, lines 17 to 20 in L.D.).

Further amend the bill in section 7 in subsection 8 by striking out all of paragraphs A and B (page 2, lines 28 to 31 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

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2 one small site on any given parcel of property. The corrected version of the exemption would close the loophole.

Reported by the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
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