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HOUSE AMENDMENT "*A*" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 665,  
L.D. 944, Bill, "An Act to Permit Off-track Betting"

Amend the amendment in section 2 in that part designated "§274-A." in subsection 10 in paragraph C in the first line (page 7, line 2 in amendment) by striking out the following: "use 4.347%" and inserting in its place the following: 'retain 3.347%' and in the 2nd line (page 7, line 3 in amendment) by striking out the following: "1.533%" and inserting in its place the following: '.533%'

Further amend the amendment in section 2 in that part designated "§274-A." in subsection 10 in paragraph C in the 3rd and 4th lines (page 7, lines 4 and 5 in amendment) by striking out the following: "for the purpose of supplementing" and inserting in its place the following: 'and add that sum to'

Further amend the amendment in section 2 in that part designated "§274-A." in subsection 10 by inserting after paragraph D the following:

'E. The off-track betting licensee shall pay a sum of 1% of the total contributions on exotic wagers and 1% of the total contributions on regular wagers to the commission. This sum must be returned to the licensees conducting harness racing for the purpose of supplementing purse money. This sum must be divided equally among the licensees in the proportion that the number of racing days of a licensee granted by the commission and actually raced bears to the total number of racing days granted in any one year by the commission and actually raced by licensees. Payments must be made to the licensees by the end of the calendar year.'

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**STATEMENT OF FACT**

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The changes made by this amendment bring the language proposed in the committee amendment into conformity with the

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Maine Revised Statutes, Title 8, section 275.

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