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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 430, L.D. 1151, Bill, "An Act to Require Door-to-door Sellers of Frozen Foods to Disclose Actual Unit Prices"

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

'Sec. 1. 9-A MRSA §3-503-A is enacted to read:

§3-503-A. Frozen food contracts

The unit price and the total price for each frozen food commodity must be disclosed on any contract or order form for the sale of frozen foods that is subject to the requirements of this Part. A copy of this price disclosure must be given to the buyer. The unit price of a frozen food commodity must be expressed, as appropriate, in terms of price per pound, ounce, pint, quart or gallon, provided that the same weight or measure is used for the same commodity in all sizes, weights or volumes.

The unit price and the total price of the commodity must reflect the buyer's total cost for the commodity and related seller's services, including delivery of the commodity to the buyer's home.'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "~~§4662-A.~~" in the first indented paragraph in the first line (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "A contract" and inserting in its place the following: 'Any contract or order form'

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2 Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated
3 "~~S4662-A.~~" in the first indented paragraph in the 2nd line (page
4 1, line 8 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "include" and
5 inserting in its place the following: 'disclose'

6 Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated
7 "~~S4662-A.~~" in the first indented paragraph by inserting after the
8 first sentence the following: 'A copy of this price disclosure
9 must be given to the consumer.'

10 Further amend the bill by renumbering the sections to read
11 consecutively.

14 STATEMENT OF FACT

16 The original bill requires that persons who sell frozen food
17 door-to-door inform the purchaser of the price per unit.

18 This amendment adds home solicitation sales on credit which
19 were inadvertently omitted from the bill. It also requires that
20 a copy of the price-per-unit information be given to the
21 prospective purchaser.
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Reported by Senator Rich for the Committee on Business Legislation
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