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House of Representatives, March 18, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative WHITCOMB of Waldo.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

An Act to Conform the Maine Tax Code to the Federal Tax Code with Respect to Amended Returns.

	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	36 MRSA §187-B is enacted to read:
4	<u>§187-B. Exception</u>
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	Notwithstanding section 187, a penalty may not be imposed on
8	any taxpayer who voluntarily files an amended tax return pursuant
	to regulations in the Code as defined in section 111, subsection
10	<u>1-A.</u>
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14	STATEMENT OF FACT
16	This bill eliminates the automatic penalty provisions that
	currently apply to certain amended tax returns.
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