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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 893, L.D. 1290, Bill, "An Act to Restore Criminal Sanctions for Failure to Obey Lawful Orders of Harbormasters"

Amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

This bill creates a new Class E crime for people who intentionally, knowingly or recklessly fail to obey any lawful order of a harbormaster. The additional work load and administrative costs associated with a minimal number of new cases filed in District Court as a result of the new crime will be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial Department.

Sentences imposed for a Class E offense must be served in a county jail facility. The projected cost to a county for each person sentenced under the new Class E crime is approximately \$3,820 and is based upon an average length of stay of 67 days.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment adds a fiscal note to the bill.

Reported by the Committee on Marine Resources
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