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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
115TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1221, L.D. 1779, Bill, "An Act to Create Special Veteran Plates and Emblems"

Amend the bill by striking out the first line after the enacting clause (page 1, line 3 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 29 MRSA §252-I is enacted to read:'

Further amend the bill in that part designated "~~§252-H.~~" in the first line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "~~§252-H.~~" and inserting in its place the following: '§252-I.'

Further amend the bill in that part designated "~~§252-H.~~" by striking out all of subsection 3 and inserting in its place the following:

'3. Bronze Star. Were awarded the Bronze Star.

'4. Certain campaigns. Served in a combat zone and participated in one of the following campaigns:

A. Iwo Jima;

B. Korean Conflict;

C. Tet Offensive; or

D. Desert Storm.'

Further amend the bill by inserting before the statement of fact the following:

2 'Sec. 2. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from
the Highway Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

| 4 | | 1991-92 | 1992-93 |
|----|--|-----------|---------|
| 6 | SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF THE | | |
| 8 | Administration - Motor Vehicles | | |
| 10 | | | |
| 12 | All Other | \$113,845 | \$5,692 |
| 14 | Provides funds for materials and general operating expenses required to 16 manufacture the special 18 veteran license plates and emblems. | | |

20 Sec. 3. Effective date. This Act takes effect January 1, 1992.

22 **FISCAL NOTE**

| 24 | | 1991-92 | 1992-93 |
|----|-----------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 26 | APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS | | |
| 28 | Highway Fund | \$113,845 | \$5,692 |
| 30 | REVENUES | | |
| 32 | Highway Fund | \$250,000 | \$12,500 |

34 This bill establishes special veterans plates and emblems.
36 The \$10 fee will increase Highway Fund revenue by \$250,000 in
fiscal year 1991-92 and \$12,500 in fiscal year 1992-93, based on
38 25,000 veterans requesting the special plate and a significant
decrease in requests in following years. The Division of Motor
40 Vehicles will require Highway Fund allocations of \$113,845 in
fiscal year 1991-92 and \$5,692 in fiscal year 1992-93 for
42 materials needed to manufacture the special license plate
including labor and postage.'

44 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

46 The original bill establishes a generic license plate for
48 use by veterans. Veterans who served in certain campaigns or
received certain military awards are eligible for the plates and
50 individualized emblems indicating the campaign or award.

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2 This amendment:

4 1. Expands eligibility for the plates to veterans who
served in Korea or who have received the Bronze Star;

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8 2. Establishes an effective date of January 1, 1992, for
the bill; and

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3. Adds an allocation and a fiscal note to the bill.

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