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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1438, L.D. 2050, Bill, "An Act to Allow the Towns of Castle Hill, Chapman and Mapleton to Enter into an Interlocal Agreement"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the towns of Castle Hill, Chapman and Mapleton have entered into an interlocal agreement and must set joint appropriations before February 15, 1992; and

Whereas, this bill must be effective immediately in order for them to fulfill their interlocal agreement; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. Interlocal agreement authorized. The Town of Castle Hill, the Town of Chapman and the Town of Mapleton may enter into an interlocal agreement authorizing the respective legislative bodies of those towns to authorize a joint board of municipal officers to establish and set the appropriation for each town for joint expenses only. Each town shall fund its share of the joint expense appropriations established and set by the joint board.

2 Each town retains the right to withdraw from the interlocal
agreement, through a process stipulated in the agreement.

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6 **Sec. 2. Retroactivity.** This Act applies retroactively to
December 19, 1991.

8 **Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the
preamble, this Act takes effect when approved.
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12 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

14 This amendment adds language to the bill that obligates each
town to fund its share of the appropriations established and set
16 by the joint board and recognizes the right of each town to
withdraw from the agreement through a process described in the
18 agreement. It also makes the bill retroactive to December 19,
1991 and adds an emergency preamble and an emergency clause.
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