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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
115TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "K" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1547, L.D. 2185, Bill, "An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government for the Fiscal Years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993 and to Change Certain Provisions of the Laws"

Amend the amendment by inserting at the end before the fiscal note the following:

**PART XX**

**Sec. XX-1. 3 MRSA §2, 2nd ¶,** as amended by PL 1985, c. 166, is further amended to read:

The first regular session of the Legislature, after its convening, shall adjourn no later than the 3rd Wednesday in June May and the 2nd regular session of the Legislature shall adjourn no later than the 3rd Wednesday in April. The Legislature, in case of emergency, may by a vote of 2/3 of the members of each House present and voting, may extend the date for adjournment for the first or 2nd regular session by no more than 5 legislative days, and in case of further emergency, may by a vote of 2/3 of the members of each House present and voting, may further extend the date for adjournment by 5 additional legislative days. The times for adjournment for the first and 2nd regular sessions may also be extended for one additional legislative day for the purpose of considering possible objections of the Governor to any bill or resolution presented to ~~him~~ the Governor by the Legislature under the Constitution, Article IV, Part Third, Section 2.'

Further amend the amendment by relettering the parts to read consecutively.

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### FISCAL NOTE

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Reducing the length of the first regular session of the Legislature will allow the Legislature to operate within the level of appropriations proposed in this bill, resulting in no net effect on General Fund appropriations or revenues and maintains a balanced budget for fiscal year 1991-92 and fiscal year 1992-93.

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### STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment amends the statutory deadline for adjourning the first regular session of the Legislature to reflect the reduction in funding for fiscal year 1992-93.

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