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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
116TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 432, L.D. 551, "RESOLUTION,
Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Reduce the
Size of the Legislature"

Amend the resolution by inserting before the statement of
fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The estimated cost of sending this resolution out to
referendum will vary according to the total number of referenda
enacted during the First Regular Session of the 116th
Legislature. The estimated cost to the Secretary of State if one
to 6 referenda are enacted is \$95,000. Each additional
referendum costs an additional \$7,000.

If approved by the voters, the Legislature would realize net
General Fund savings beginning in fiscal year 1996-97. These
savings, resulting from reductions of legislators' salaries and
benefits, travel and constituent allowances and legislative
staff, net of the costs associated with reapportioning
legislative districts, can not be exactly determined at this
time, but would be approximately \$930,000 for a first regular
session and \$670,000 for a second regular session.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment, which is the minority report of the
committee, adds a fiscal note to the bill.

Reported by the Minority of the Committee on State and Local Government
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT