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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
116TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 482, L.D. 619, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Laws"

Amend the amendment in section 13 by striking out the first and 2nd lines (page 2, lines 49 and 50 in amendment) and inserting in their place the following:

'Sec. 13. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from the Federal Expenditure Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the Fiscal Note and inserting in its place the following:

FISCAL NOTE

| | 1993-94 | 1994-95 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS | | |
| Highway Fund | \$26,250 | \$35,000 |
| Federal Expenditure Fund | 2,000 | |
| REVENUES | | |
| Highway Fund | \$26,250 | \$35,000 |

2 The increase of the surcharge on operating under the
influence by \$95 will increase the collection of fines of the
Judicial Department. The estimated increases of Highway Fund
4 revenue are \$26,250 and \$35,000 in fiscal year 1993-94 and
1994-95, respectively. These additional Highway Fund revenues
6 will provide funding for chemical tests and analysis paid by the
Department of Public Safety. Additional Highway Fund allocations
8 of \$26,250 and \$35,000 in fiscal years 1993-94 and 1994-95,
respectively, are included.

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12 The Judicial Department will receive a federal grant of
\$2,000 in fiscal year 1993-94 from the National Highway Safety
Administration through the Bureau of Highway Safety within the
14 Department of Public Safety. This is an allocation of existing
funds at the bureau to be used for programming costs.

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18 The additional workload and administrative costs associated
with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system
can be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial
20 Department. The collection of additional fines may increase
General Fund revenues by a minor amount.

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24 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

26 This amendment eliminates the General Fund appropriation and
replaces it with a federal allocation.

30 (Senator BRANNIGAN)

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34 COUNTY: Cumberland

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