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18	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 974, L.D. 1383, Bill, "An
20	Act to Establish Periodic Adjustments in the Mileage Reimbursements"
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24	Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:
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28	'Sec. 1. 5 MRSA $\$8002$, sub- $\$2$, as amended by PL 1989, c. 700, Pt. A, $\$19$, is further amended to read:
30	2. Agency. "Agency" means any body of State Government authorized by law to adopt rules, to issue licenses or to take
32	final action in adjudicatory proceedings, including, but not limited to, every authority, board, bureau, commission,
34	department or officer of the State Government so authorized; but
36	the term shall <u>does</u> not include the Legislature, Governor, courts, University of Maine System, Maine Maritime Academy,
38	technical colleges, the Commissioner of Education for schools of the unorganized territory, school administrative units, <u>community</u> action agencies as defined in Title 22, section 5321, special
40	purpose districts or municipalities, counties or other political subdivisions of the State.'
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	Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the
44	statement of fact the following:

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "H" to H.P. 974, L.D. 1383

'FISCAL NOTE

4 Exempting community action agencies from the definition of exempts these agencies from a restriction "agency" also prohibiting reimbursement for travel at a rate higher than the б rate established for state employees. This change has a fiscal impact on state-administered funds only if state agencies elect 8 to negotiate and pay a higher rate to the community action 10 agencies. Any impact would be insignificant.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

The amendment replaces the original bill. The amendment 16 references community action agencies in a list of groups that are defined as exceptions to the term "agency." The amendment has 18 the effect of allowing the community action agencies to have the flexibility to request a higher mileage reimbursement rate. The 20 amendment also adds the necessary fiscal note.

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