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**STATE OF MAINE  
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SENATE AMENDMENT " B " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 548, L.D. 1496, Bill, "An Act to Improve the AFDC Program"

Amend the amendment in Part A in section 20 in that part designated "§3760-I" in subsection 14 by inserting at the end the following new sentence: 'A person who has obtained the maximum benefit may qualify for additional Aid to Families with Dependent Children benefits for up to 24 months when the state average for unemployment reaches 10% or higher.'

**FISCAL NOTE**

Permitting an additional 24 months of Aid to Families with Dependent Children eligibility under certain circumstances may reduce the future General Fund and Federal Expenditure Fund savings that will be generated if federal approval is granted.

**STATEMENT OF FACT**

This amendment adds a provision to permit those who received the maximum benefits to receive an additional 24 months of benefits when the State's unemployment rate is 10% or higher.

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