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**STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 753, L.D. 1866, Bill, "An Act to Improve the Child Development Services System"

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 2 in paragraph C in the last line (page 2, line 18 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and the council"

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Education will incur additional costs to establish a committee and coordinate its review of services provided by the Child Development Services System. These costs, which include the expenses of members and report printing, can be absorbed by the department utilizing existing budgeted resources. The Department of Education will also incur costs to review issues related to professional therapists and to review and report on the quality and consistency of certain services to children and their families. These costs can also be absorbed by the department within existing resources.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

The amendment makes a technical change and adds a fiscal note to the bill.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT