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**STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
117TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1394, L.D. 1895, Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Department of Human Services to Accept Federal Funds and to Make Certain Expenditures"

Amend the amendment on page 2 by striking out all of the first 2 indented paragraphs (page 2, lines 11 to 23 in amendment) and inserting in their place the following:

'Further amend the bill in Part B in section 2 in the 5th line (page 3, line 6 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "allocation" the following: 'and certain related Other Special Revenue allocation'

Further amend the amendment in Part B in section 5 by striking out all of that part designated "**HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**" (lines 12 to 35 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

**'HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

**Departmentwide**

Unallocated \$45,127,128

Provides for the allocation of funds pursuant to the federal Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996. The Commissioner of Human Services shall recommend to the State Budget Officer the amounts that apply to each Federal Block Grant Program in the Department of Human Services related to the federal Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity

**SENATE AMENDMENT**

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L.D. 1895

2 Reconciliation Act of 1996. The State  
3 Budget Officer shall apply those amounts  
4 against each Federal Block Grant Program in  
5 the Department of Human Services as  
6 allocated adjustments.

7 **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**  
8 **TOTAL**

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\$45,127,128'

10 Further amend the amendment in Part B in section 5 (page 3,  
11 lines 37 and 38 in amendment) by striking out all of the last 2  
12 lines and inserting in their place the following:

14 **'SECTION B-5**  
15 **TOTAL**

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\$45,132,177'

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17 **FISCAL NOTE**

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19 **1996-97**

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21 **APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

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23 Other Funds \$500,000

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25 This amendment adds an additional Federal Block Grant  
26 allocation of \$500,000 to the Department of Human Services in  
27 fiscal year 1996-97 to support the additional cost of continuing  
28 the pass-through of child support funds beyond April 1, 1997.  
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31 **SUMMARY**

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33 This amendment removes language that sets the date on which  
34 the Department of Human Services' authority to expend funds on  
35 the pass-through of child support funds terminates and changes  
36 the allocation section.  
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42 SPONSORED BY: Rockwell R.  
43 (Senator PINGREE)

44 COUNTY: Knox  
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