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## **APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS**

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "H" to H.P. 444, L.D. 594, "Resolve,
20 Authorizing the Maine Technical College to Achieve Cost Savings through the Lease-purchase of Facilities"

Amend the resolve in section 1 in the 8th line (page 1, line 32 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "\$1,250,000." the following: 'The interest rate must be approximately 5.6% and total interest costs may not exceed \$735,000.'

Further amend the resolve by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

## **FISCAL NOTE**

The Maine Technical College System has indicated that the system will realize net operating savings estimated to be \$50,000 annually from the lease-purchase of its current office space in Augusta, Maine.

The lease-purchase authorization will not increase the 40 general or moral obligation of the State. No additional General Fund appropriations will be required.'

## **SUMMARY**

46 This amendment is the majority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. It incorporates an estimate of the interest rate and interest costs in section 1 of the resolve. It also adds a fiscal note to the 50 resolve.

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT