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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
118TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 988, L.D. 1368, "Resolve, to Create a Task Force to Develop a Single Payment System for State and Federal Taxes for Small Businesses"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the first 9 indented paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 23 to 46 and page 2, lines 1 to 10 in amendment) and inserting in their place the following:

'Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 2 (page 1, lines 5 to 25 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 2. Task force membership. Resolved: That the task force consists of the following members:

1. Two representatives from the Bureau of Taxation, who must have expertise in the areas of state income and sales taxation, appointed by the Governor;

2. One representative from the State's Department of Labor, appointed by the Governor;

3. Three representatives from the business community, representing different geographic locations in the State, appointed by the Governor;

4. Two members of the House of Representatives, one of whom represents the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation, appointed by the Speaker of the House; and

5. One member of the Senate, appointed by the President of the Senate.

2 The Governor shall also seek 2 representatives from the  
Internal Revenue Service to be members of the task force; and be  
4 it further' '

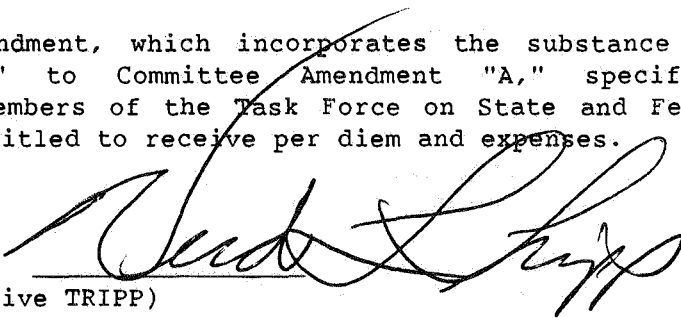
6 Further amend the amendment on page 2 by inserting after the  
3rd indented paragraph the following:

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10 'Further amend the resolve by striking out all of section 6  
(page 1, lines 49 and 50 and page 2, lines 1 to 3 in L.D.) and  
inserting in its place the following:

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14 **'Sec. 6. Reimbursement. Resolved:** That the members of the  
task force who are Legislators are entitled to receive the  
legislative per diem as defined in the Maine Revised Statutes,  
16 Title 3, section 2 and reimbursement for travel and other  
necessary expenses for attendance at meetings of the task force.  
18 Other members are entitled to reimbursement of expenses as  
defined in Title 5, section 12002 upon application to the  
20 Executive Director of the Legislative Council for those  
expenses.'

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24 **SUMMARY**

26 This amendment, which incorporates the substance of House  
Amendment "A" to Committee Amendment "A," specifies that  
28 legislative members of the Task Force on State and Federal Tax  
Filing are entitled to receive per diem and expenses.  
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34 SPONSORED BY:   
(Representative TRIPP)

36 TOWN: Topsham  
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