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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
118TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 552, L.D. 1678, "Resolve, Concerning Payments to Legislators during Special Session"

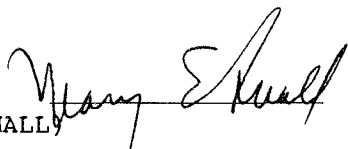
Amend the resolve in section 1 in the first line (page 1, line 1 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "compensation" the following: '; meals allowance' and in the 4th line (page 1, line 4 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "for" the following: ', and are not entitled to receive more than \$16 per day for a meal allowance during'

FISCAL NOTE

If the 118th Legislature adjourns before the statutory adjournment date of the First Regular Session and it is called into special session before that date, this amendment will generate General Fund savings of approximately \$3,000 per day from the reduction in the meals allowance for every day prior to June 1, 1997. The Legislature has budgeted meal allowances through June 1, 1997 at \$32 per day per Legislator.

SUMMARY

This amendment reduces from \$32 to \$16 the meal allowance for Legislators during attendance at any special session of the 118th Legislature held prior to the statutory adjournment date of June 18, 1997.

SPONSORED BY: 
(Senator SMALLY)

COUNTY: Sagadahoc

SENATE AMENDMENT