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**STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1215, L.D. 1715, Bill, "An Act to Conform the State Revolving Loan Fund for Drinking Water with the 1996 Amendments to the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act"

Amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The redefinition of water utility will expand the number of entities eligible for loans from the safe drinking water revolving loan fund. The federal Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996 has provided federal funds that may be used for program loans. Private and Special Law 1995, chapter 82, which was approved by the voters on November 5, 1995, authorized a General Fund bond of \$2,000,000 that is available to match the federal funds. In addition, LD 268, as amended, includes a \$500,000 General Fund bond to be used as a match for additional federal funds if the bill is approved by the Legislature and the voters.'

SUMMARY

This amendment adds a fiscal note to the bill.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT