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DATE: *May 28, 1997*

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TAXATION

Reported by: *Senator Ruhl*

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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
118TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 623, L.D. 1826, Bill, "An Act to Change the Name of the Bureau of Taxation and to Allow Other Agencies of the State to Benefit from Its Services"

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

'Sec. 16. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from Other Special Revenue to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1997-98	1998-99
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ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Revenue Services - Interdepartmental Services

All Other	\$500	\$500
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Provides initial allocations to authorize expenditures of the amounts deducted from revenue collected by the Bureau of Revenue Services for other state departments and agencies.'

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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FISCAL NOTE

1997-98 1998-99

APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS

Other Funds \$500 \$500

The Bureau of Taxation, renamed the Bureau of Revenue Services by this bill, will incur additional expenses as a result of any agreements to collect revenue for other state departments and agencies. The additional costs to provide these collection services will be offset by deductions from the revenue collected by the bureau for other state departments and agencies. The amounts of the additional expenditures and the dedicated revenue generated by the bureau to offset these expenditures can not be estimated at this time. The net impact on the revenues and expenses of the other agencies also can not be determined.

This bill includes allocations of \$500 annually in fiscal years 1997-98 and 1998-99 as base allocations to authorize expenditures of the additional dedicated revenue deducted from the revenue collected by the bureau for other state departments and agencies that enter into agreements with the bureau for revenue collection services.'

SUMMARY

This amendment adds an allocation section and a fiscal note to the bill.