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SENATE AMENDMENT " C " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 784, L.D. 2111, Bill, "An Act to Reauthorize the Toxics and Hazardous Waste Reduction Laws"

Amend the amendment by inserting after section 8 the following:

'Sec. 9. 38 MRS §2303, sub-§6, as amended by PL 1991, c. 520, §12, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

6. New facilities. Facilities constructed after August 1, 1998 that are designed to minimize toxics use, toxics release and hazardous waste generation in accordance with the State's policies as set forth in section 2302 are presumed to be in compliance with the reduction goals set forth in this chapter unless the commissioner determines that such a presumption would not further the purposes of this chapter.'

Further amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment establishes a clear presumption that a new facility that is designed to minimize the use, release or generation of toxic material is in compliance with the reduction

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goals of the bill unless the Commissioner of Environmental  
Protection determines otherwise.

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