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118TH LEGISLATURE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 800, L.D. 2157, "Resolve, Compensating the Estate of Barbara Maxfield for Claims against the State"

Amend the resolve in section 1, in the 3rd line (page 1, line 3 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$500,000" and inserting in its place the following: '\$275,000'

Further amend the resolve in section 2, in the 7th line (page 1, line 24 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$500,000" and inserting in its place the following: '\$275,000'

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

FISCAL NOTE

1998-99

APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS

General Fund \$275,000

This resolve includes a General Fund appropriation of \$275,000 in fiscal year 1998-99 to compensate the estate of Barbara Maxfield in full settlement of any and all claims against the State.

The additional costs associated with providing legal services in obtaining the necessary releases can be absorbed by the Department of the Attorney General utilizing existing budgeted resources.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

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This amendment reduces the amount of the appropriation to the estate of Barbara Maxfield from \$500,000 to \$275,000. It also adds a fiscal note to the resolve.