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

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1617, L.D. 2244, Bill, "An Act to Encourage Intergovernmental Cooperation"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the first paragraph after the title and all of section 1 and inserting in their place the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 1, 2, 3 and 5.'

Further amend the amendment by inserting after section 6 the following:

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

FISCAL NOTE

This amendment removes the real estate transfer tax provisions contained in the bill, thereby eliminating the loss of General Fund revenue. This amendment also removes the minor costs to the State Planning Office. The bill, as amended, continues to include a General Fund appropriation of \$2,520 in fiscal year 1998-99 for the Legislature to cover the costs associated with the Task Force on Intergovernmental Cooperation.

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SUMMARY

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This amendment eliminates the real estate transfer tax provisions of the bill and the sections concerning the county government pilot projects and the delivery of certain municipal services. It maintains the Task Force on Intergovernmental Cooperation.

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