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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 114, L.D. 145, Bill, "An Act to Withdraw from the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission and the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Compact"

Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble.

Further amend the bill in section 4 in the next to the last line (page 2, line 9 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "section" and inserting in its place the following: 'sections 4612 and'

Further amend the bill by inserting before section 5 the following:

'Sec. 5. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

2000-01

ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES
COMMISSION

Atlantic States Marine Fisheries
Commission

All Other (\$26,156)

Deappropriates funds to reflect the State's withdrawal from the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission and the elimination of all dues obligations.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 114, L.D. 145

2 Further amend the bill in section 5 in the 4th line (page 2,
line 15 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "amends" and
4 inserting in its place the following: 'amend'

6 Further amend the bill by striking out the emergency clause.

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

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

14 **FISCAL NOTE**

16 **1999-00 2000-01**

18 **APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

20 General Fund (\$26,156)

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24 Withdrawing the State of Maine from participation in the
Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission will eliminate the
26 annual dues requirement. Because of certain notice requirements
for withdrawals from the commission, annual General Fund savings
of \$26,156 will begin in fiscal year 2000-01.'

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30 **SUMMARY**

32 This amendment, which is the minority report of the Joint
Standing Committee on Marine Resources, removes the emergency
34 preamble and clause from the bill. It also adds a reference to
the section of law that relates to renunciation of the Atlantic
36 States Marine Fisheries Compact. It also adds an appropriation
section to the bill to reflect the elimination of the annual dues
38 requirement after withdrawal from the Atlantic States Marine
Fisheries Commission and adds a fiscal note.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT