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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
119TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 259, L.D. 363, Bill, "An Act to Reduce Operating Under the Influence by Requiring Certification of On-premise Alcohol Servers"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 9 the following:

'Sec. 10. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1999-00	2000-01
30 PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF		
32 Bureau of Liquor Enforcement		
34 Positions - Legislative Count	(3,000)	(3,000)
35 Personal Services	\$80,337	\$111,194
36 All Other	28,983	15,807
37 Capital Expenditures	22,000	
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40 Appropriates funds for the costs associated with 2 additional Liquor Enforcement Officer I positions, one additional Clerk Typist III position and operating costs necessary for the certification of on-premise alcohol servers.		
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50 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TOTAL	\$131,320	\$127,001'

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

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FISCAL NOTE

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1999-00

2000-01

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APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS

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General Fund

\$131,320

\$127,001

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REVENUES

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General Fund

\$43,750

\$131,250

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Other Funds

5,250

15,750

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22 This bill includes additional General Fund appropriations to
the Department of Public Safety in the amount of \$131,320 and
\$127,001 in fiscal years 1999-00 and 2000-01, respectively, for
24 the costs associated with 2 additional Liquor Enforcement Officer
I positions, one additional Clerk Typist III position and
26 operating costs necessary for the certification of on-premise
alcohol servers.

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30 Assuming courses are certified in fiscal year 1999-00 and
25% of those presently employed take certification courses in
32 fiscal year 1999-00, the collection of course fees from presently
employed on-premise alcohol servers taking certification courses
34 from the Bureau of Liquor Enforcement will increase General Fund
revenue by \$43,750 in fiscal year 1999-00 and \$131,250 in fiscal
36 year 2000-01. In addition, the bureau will collect dedicated
revenue in the amount of \$5,250 in fiscal year 1999-00 and
\$15,750 in fiscal year 2000-01 from certification course fees
38 collected from all persons seeking certification. The
certification of newly employed on-premise alcohol servers will
40 also generate additional General Fund revenues and dedicated
revenues. These amounts will depend on the number of newly
42 employed individuals and can not be determined at this time.

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46 This bill may increase the number of cases filed in the
Administrative Court. The additional workload and administrative
48 costs associated with the minimal number of new cases filed can
be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial
Department. The collection of additional fines may also increase
General Fund revenue by minor amounts.'

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SUMMARY

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This amendment is the minority report of the committee. It adds an appropriation section and a fiscal note to the bill.

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