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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 276, L.D. 384, Bill, "An Act to Establish Victims' Rights for the Victims of Juvenile Crimes"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 15 MRSA §3007 is enacted to read:

§3007. Victims' rights

In addition to any rights given to victims of juvenile crimes in this Part, the victim of a juvenile crime has the rights that a victim has under Title 17-A, section 1175.'

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

'FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Corrections will incur some minor additional costs to print and distribute a pamphlet to victims notifying them of their rights. These costs can be absorbed within the department's existing budgeted resources.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill. The amendment gives a

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2 victim of a crime committed by a juvenile the right to request to
receive notification of the juvenile offender's release in
4 addition to any rights provided to the victim of a juvenile crime
by the Maine Juvenile Code. The amendment also adds a fiscal
note to the bill.

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