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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 566, L.D. 787, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Membership of the Commission on Safety and Health in the Maine Workplace"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph A in the first line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "or the commissioner's designee"

Further amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph C by striking out all of the first sentence (page 1, lines 29 to 31 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following: 'The Governor commission shall appoint by majority vote the chair and vice-chair of the commission ~~and the Commissioner of Labor shall serve as vice-chair.~~'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment removes language allowing the Commissioner of Labor to appoint a designee to serve in the commissioner's place on the commission. It also provides that the members of the commission appoint the chair and vice-chair of the commission by majority vote, rather than having the Governor make the appointments.

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**