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

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20 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1445, L.D. 2066, Bill, "An
22 Act to Amend the Laws Relating to Slash Disposal along Highways
and Railroad and Utility Corridors"

24 Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§9332."
26 in subsection 3 in the last line (page 1, line 27 in L.D.) by
inserting after the following: "another." the following: 'Usable
timber products generated from right-of-way maintenance may be
piled within the right-of-way but must be removed within 30 days.'

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30 Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated
32 "§9333." in subsection 2 in the 4th line from the end (page 1,
line 44 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "If a" the
following: 'burning'

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

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'FISCAL NOTE

40 This bill may increase the number of civil violations filed
42 in the court system. The additional workload and administrative
44 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
46 General Fund revenue by minor amounts.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

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This amendment allows useable timber products generated from right-of-way maintenance to be piled within the right-of-way of a public road for up to 30 days. It clarifies that the permits referred to are burning permits. The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.

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