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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
119TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 748, L.D. 2107, Bill, "An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount of \$20,500,000 to Construct Water Pollution Control Facilities and Make Other Environmental Improvements"

Amend the amendment by striking out the substitute title and replacing it with the following:

'An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount of \$12,500,000 to Construct Water Pollution Control Facilities and Make Other Environmental Improvements'

Further amend the amendment by striking out the first paragraph after the substitute title and inserting in its place the following:

'Further amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all of the first sentence (page 1, lines 12 to 23 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following: 'The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor, to issue bonds in the name and on behalf of the State in an amount not exceeding \$12,500,000 to raise funds to construct water pollution control facilities; to clean up tire stockpiles; to abate, clean up and mitigate threats to the public health and environment from uncontrolled hazardous substance sites or other hazardous waste discharges; to make drinking water system improvements; and to close and clean up municipal solid waste landfills as authorized by section 6.' '

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section 6 and inserting in its place the following:

SENATE AMENDMENT

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- 2 (1) \$6,500,000 to construct water pollution control
facilities, providing the state match for \$12,500,000
4 in federal funds;
- 6 (2) \$500,000 to protect the public health and safety
and the environment by providing funds for the cleanup
8 of tire stockpiles;
- 10 (3) \$1,500,000 to abate, clean up and mitigate threats
to the public health and environment from uncontrolled
12 hazardous substance sites or other hazardous waste
discharges;
- 14 (4) \$1,500,000 to construct drinking water system
improvements that address public health threats,
16 providing the state match for \$7,500,000 in federal
funds; and
- 18 (5) \$2,500,000 to close and clean up municipal solid
20 waste landfills?" '

FISCAL NOTE

24 This amendment increases the total estimated cost of this
bond issue by \$4,308,500. Principal payments are increased by
26 \$3,500,000 and interest payments are increased by approximately
\$808,500.

SUMMARY

32 This amendment provides \$1,500,000 to investigate, abate,
clean up and mitigate threats to the public health and
34 environment from uncontrolled hazardous substance sites or other
hazardous waste discharges. It provides \$2,500,000 to protect
36 the State's drinking water resources by granting funds to cities
and towns for the closure and cleanup of their solid waste
38 landfills.

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42 SPONSORED BY: 
(Senator TREAT)

44 COUNTY: Kennebec
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