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**STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 847, L.D. 2247, Bill, "An Act to Fund the Collective Bargaining Agreements and Benefits of Employees Covered by Collective Bargaining and for Certain Employees Excluded from Collective Bargaining"

Amend the bill by striking out all of Part C.

Further amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

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

FISCAL NOTE

This bill represents legislative approval of the funding for the cost items in the collective bargaining agreements reached between the State and the Maine State Employees Association and the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees, Council #93. The bill also provides authorization for similar and equitable treatment for certain other state employees.

Funding for the General Fund costs of these collective bargaining agreements and the extension of similar treatment to certain other state employees, estimated to be \$5,733,000 in fiscal year 1999-00 and \$13,865,000 in fiscal year 2000-01, is provided by authorization for transfers from the Salary Plan

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2 program within the Department of Administrative and Financial
3 Services. Funding for the Highway Fund costs of these collective
4 bargaining agreements and the extension of similar treatment to
5 certain other state employees, estimated to be \$2,395,689 in
6 fiscal year 1999-00 and \$5,732,463 in fiscal year 2000-01, is
7 also provided by similar authorization for transfers from the
8 Salary Plan program.

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10 Sufficient resources have been appropriated and allocated to
11 the Salary Plan program in the General Fund and the Highway Fund
12 to fund these costs.'

14 **SUMMARY**

16 This amendment deletes Part C of the bill that implements
17 the cost items in the collective bargaining agreements reached
18 between the State and the Maine State Troopers Association. The
19 employees in the Maine State Police bargaining unit have not
20 approved the tentative agreement.

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