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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1633, L.D. 2285, Bill, "An Act to Amend Maine's Probate Code"

Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§7-205." by inserting after the first paragraph the following:

'A percentage fee is allowable under this section only if the fee is reasonable. Among the factors the court may consider as guides in determining the reasonableness of fees under this section are the following:

(a) The time and labor required, the novelty and difficulty of the questions involved and the skill requisite to perform the service properly;

(b) The likelihood, if apparent to the trustee, that the acceptance of the particular employment will preclude the person employed from other employment;

(c) The fee customarily charged in the locality for similar services;

(d) The amount involved and the results obtained;

(e) The time limitations imposed by the trustee or by the circumstances; and

(f) The experience, reputation and ability of the person performing the services.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

