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APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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**STATE OF MAINE
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119TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 933, L.D. 2383, Bill, "An Act to Help Support the Medical Ride Volunteer Service"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

2000-01

HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Elder and Adult Services

All Other \$50,000

Provides funds for direct grants to local area agencies on aging to support the medical ride volunteer service that provides transportation. These funds must be used as direct pass-through money and may not be used for administrative costs. A portion of these funds may be used by the local area agencies on aging to develop an informational brochure to explain how to access the medical ride volunteer service.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 933, L.D. 2383

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

FISCAL NOTE

2000-01

APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS

General Fund	\$50,000
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This bill includes a General Fund appropriation of \$50,000 in fiscal year 2000-01 for the Department of Human Services to provide grants to local area agencies on aging to support the medical ride volunteer service.'

SUMMARY

This amendment reduces the General Fund appropriation request from \$85,000 to \$50,000 in fiscal year 2000-01 and clarifies that these funds are pass-through money that can not be used for administrative costs. The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.