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L.D. 2414

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APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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

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18 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1708, L.D. 2414, Bill, "An
20 Act to Support and Expand the Maine Writing Project"

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22 Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting
24 clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the
24 following:

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

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2000-01

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30 **UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM,
32 BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE**

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34 **Educational and General Activities -
36 University of Maine System**

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36 All Other \$5,000

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38 Provides funds to support the Maine Writing
40 Project and to expand the project to
42 teachers in diverse geographic and
44 curriculum areas. This amount must be
44 supplemented by funds provided by the
46 University of Maine System in the amount of
46 \$4,500 in fiscal year 2000-01 in the form of
46 scholarships for teachers in the Maine
48 Writing Project.

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50 **BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM
TOTAL**

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\$5,000

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

R. of S.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1708, L.D. 2414

2 EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

4 Professional Development

6 All Other (\$5,000)

8 Deappropriates funds in order to provide
10 additional funds to support the Maine
Writing Project.

12 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
TOTAL

(\$5,000)

14 TOTAL APPROPRIATION

\$0'

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

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22 FISCAL NOTE

24 This bill includes a General Fund appropriation of \$5,000 in
fiscal year 2000-01 to the Board of Trustees of the University of
26 Maine System to support and expand the Maine Writing Project.

28 This bill also includes a General Fund deappropriation of
\$5,000 in fiscal year 2000-01 from the Professional Development
30 program within the Department of Education in order to provide
funds to support the Maine Writing Project.'

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34 SUMMARY

36 This amendment decreases the amount appropriated to the
Maine Writing Project from \$10,000 to \$5,000 and requires that
38 the money appropriated must be supplemented by funds provided by
the University of Maine System of \$4,500 in fiscal year 2000-01
40 in the form of scholarships for teachers in the Maine Writing
Project.

42 The amendment also adds a General Fund deappropriation of
44 \$5,000 in fiscal year 2000-01 from the Professional Development
program within the Department of Education and a fiscal note to
46 the bill.