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

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1755, L.D. 2461, "Resolve, to Create a Commission to Study and Establish Moral Policies on Investments and Purchasing by the State"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the 3rd indented paragraph after the title the following:

'Further amend the resolve by striking out all of section 2 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 2. Commission membership. Resolved: That the commission consists of 12 members as follows:

- 1. Two members from the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate, one from each major political party;
- 2. Two members from the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, one from each major political party;
- 3. Two members from groups involved in social investments or human rights issues, one appointed by the President and one appointed by the Speaker;
- 4. Two representatives of retail business, one appointed by the President and one appointed by the Speaker;
- 5. One representative of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of General Services, Division of Purchases appointed by the Governor;

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2 6. One member of the public appointed by the Governor;

4 7. One representative of labor unions appointed by the
Governor; and

6 8. One representative of manufacturing and industry
8 appointed by the Governor; and be it further''

10 Further amend the amendment by striking out all of section
12 10 and inserting in its place the following:

14 'Sec. 10. Appropriation. Resolved: That the following funds
16 are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes
of this resolve.

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**Commission to Study Economically and
22 Socially Just Policies on Investments
and Purchasing by the State**

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Personal Services	\$1,320
All Other	3,500

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28 Provides funds for the per
diem and expenses of
30 legislative members and
expenses for other eligible
32 members of the Commission to
Study Economically and
34 Socially Just Policies on
Investments and Purchasing by
36 the State and to print the
required report.

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TOTAL \$4,820'

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FISCAL NOTE

44 This amendment increases the General Fund cost of the bill
46 by \$900 in fiscal year 2000-01.

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48 As amended, this resolve includes a General Fund
50 appropriation of \$4,820 in fiscal year 2000-01 for the
Legislature for the per diem and expenses of legislative members
and expenses for other eligible members of the Commission to

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2 Study Economically and Socially Just Policies on Investments and
Purchasing by the State and to print the required report.

4 The additional costs associated with providing staffing
6 assistance to the commission during the interim between
8 legislative sessions can be absorbed by the Legislature utilizing
existing budgeted resources. If an extension of the reporting
10 deadline is granted and the commission requires staffing
assistance during the legislative session, the Legislature may
require an additional General Fund appropriation to contract for
staff services.

12 The additional costs associated with serving on the
14 commission can be absorbed by the Department of Administrative
and Financial Services and the Maine State Retirement System
16 utilizing existing budgeted resources.

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20 **SUMMARY**

22 This amendment changes the composition of the commission
membership. It adds 2 members, one representing labor unions and
24 one representing manufacturing and industry. The amendment
removes the Treasurer of State and a representative from the
Maine State Retirement System as members. The amendment replaces
26 the representative from the Maine State Retirement System with 2
representatives from retail business. The amendment also strikes
28 and replaces the appropriation section.

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