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STATE OF MAINE
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SENATE AMENDMENT "D" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1807, L.D. 2533, Bill, "An Act to Create a New Category of Liquor License and to Exempt Pool Halls, Bowling Alleys and Off-track Betting Facilities from the Prohibition Against Smoking"

Amend the amendment in section 6 by striking out all of the amending clause (page 2, line 20 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 6. 28-A MRSA §1051, sub-§6, 7 and 8 are enacted to read:'

Further amend the amendment in section 6 by inserting at the end the following:

'8. Licenses that permit smoking. The bureau shall collect a fee from every on-premise licensee that permits smoking in accordance with the terms of its license. The fee must be calculated by multiplying \$3 by the number of square feet of floor space in all enclosed areas where smoking is permitted. This fee must be applied in addition to the fee paid by the licensee upon each issuance or renewal of the on-premise license.'

FISCAL NOTE

Authorizing the Bureau of Liquor Enforcement to collect certain fees will increase General Fund revenue beginning in fiscal year 2000-01. The amounts can not be determined at this time.

SUMMARY

This amendment requires that the Bureau of Liquor Enforcement apply a fee to the annual license of an on-premise

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establishment that permits smoking in accordance with the terms
of its license. The fee is an amount equal to the square footage
of floor space in any enclosed area where smoking is permitted
multiplied by \$3.

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