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**STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
120TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 32, L.D. 130, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Law Pertaining to the Maine Community Policing Institute Surcharge Fund"

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

'Sec. 1. 4 MRSA §1057-A, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1999, c. 357, §3, is amended to read:

**4. Sunset.** This section is repealed September 30, 2001 2003.'

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

**FISCAL NOTE**

	<b>2001-02</b>	<b>2002-03</b>
<b>APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS</b>		
Other Funds	\$275,000	\$325,000
<b>REVENUES</b>		
Other Funds	\$275,000	\$325,000

The postponement of the sunset provision in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 4, section 1057-A will continue until

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

2 September 30, 2003 the 2% surcharge that must be added to every  
fine, forfeiture or penalty imposed by any court in this State.  
4 The estimated increases of dedicated revenue to the Judicial  
Department are \$275,000 and \$325,000 in fiscal years 2001-02 and  
6 2002-03, respectively. This estimate takes into account the fact  
that a certain level of revenue is included in the proposed  
8 current services budget for the 2002-2003 biennium. This revenue  
is deposited into the Maine Community Policing Institute  
10 Surcharge Fund and is transferred to the University of Maine  
System to fund the Maine Community Policing Institute. Given the  
12 increased transfers the increased revenues are apt to produce due  
to repeal of the sunset provision, the University of Maine System  
14 will require additional Maine Community Policing Institute  
Surcharge Fund allocations of \$275,000 and \$325,000 in fiscal  
16 years 2001-02 and 2002-03, respectively, for funding the Maine  
Community Policing Institute.'

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20 **SUMMARY**

22 This amendment replaces the bill and extends the repeal date  
for the Maine Community Policing Institute Surcharge Fund from  
September 30, 2001 to September 30, 2003. The amendment also  
24 adds a fiscal note.