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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 199, L.D. 671, "Resolve, to Direct the State Planning Office to Provide Community Forestry Training to Towns"

Amend the resolve by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, to Direct the Bureau of Forestry to Provide Community Forestry Training to Towns'

Further amend the resolve by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. Training for community forestry. Resolved: That the Bureau of Forestry within the Department of Conservation shall provide community forestry training to towns and local planning boards. The Bureau of Forestry shall develop a model ordinance to provide to towns that are interested in passing an ordinance for community forestry.'

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

'FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Conservation will incur some minor additional costs to provide community forestry training and to

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2 develop a model community forestry ordinance. These costs can be
absorbed within the department's existing budgeted resources.'

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6 SUMMARY

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8 This amendment directs the Bureau of Forestry to provide
community forestry training to towns and to develop a model
10 ordinance for community forestry. The original resolve directed
the State Planning Office to undertake these activities. It also
adds a fiscal note to the resolve.