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20 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 543, L.D. 698, Bill, "An
Act to Prohibit Discrimination"

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Amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary
the following:

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FISCAL NOTE

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The Maine Human Rights Commission will require supplemental
General Fund appropriations to support the cost of additional
Investigator positions as a result of repealing references to
protected classes in the Maine Human Rights Act and replacing
them with a general prohibition against discrimination. The
exact amount required can not be determined at this time, but is
expected to exceed \$100,000 annually.'

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SUMMARY

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This amendment is the minority report of the committee and
adds a fiscal note to the bill.