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**APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS**

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**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
120TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

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20 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1434, L.D. 1931, Bill, "An  
22 Act to Appropriate Funds for the Seeds of Peace International  
Camp Scholarships and Property Tax Payment"

24 Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting  
the following:

26 '**Resolve, Appropriating Funds for the Seeds of Peace  
28 International Camp**'

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

32 '**Preamble. Whereas,** for 10 years, Seeds of Peace  
34 International Camp located in Otisfield has been bringing  
teenagers from regions in conflict around the world to learn  
36 about conflict resolution and the art of peacemaking; and

38 **Whereas,** Seeds of Peace International Camp has received  
worldwide recognition as an effective model for resolving  
international conflict, including a UNESCO Peace Prize from the  
40 United Nations and the International First Freedom Award from the  
Council for America's First Freedom; and

42 **Whereas,** Maine is the home of many honored peacemakers  
44 including Samantha Smith and George Mitchell; and

46 **Whereas,** Seeds of Peace International Camp has received  
48 support from numerous Maine businesses and educational  
institutions; and

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

R. 018.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1434, L.D. 1931

2 **Whereas**, it is appropriate and fitting that the State, as  
the home of peacemakers, should demonstrate its support of the  
4 unique efforts of Seeds of Peace International Camp; now,  
therefore, be it

6 **Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved:** That the  
following appropriations and allocations are made.

8 **ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES,**  
10 **DEPARTMENT OF**

12 **Miscellaneous Acts and Resolves**

14 Initiative: Provides funds for a one-time appropriation to  
support scholarships for the Seeds of Peace International Camp  
16 in Otisfield.

18	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2001-02</b>	<b>2002-03</b>
20	All Other	\$0	\$10,000'

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

24 **FISCAL NOTE**

26 **2002-03**

28 **APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

30	General Fund	\$10,000
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32 This bill provides a General Fund appropriation of \$10,000  
34 in fiscal year 2002-03 for the Department of Administrative and  
Financial Services' Miscellaneous Acts and Resolves program to  
36 provide one-time funding to support scholarships for the Seeds of  
Peace International Camp in Otisfield, Maine.'

38 **SUMMARY**

40 This amendment provides a one-time appropriation of \$10,000  
42 for scholarships to the Seeds of Peace International Camp in  
44 Otisfield in support of its unique role in providing conflict  
resolution and peacemaking experiences for teenagers from regions  
46 in conflict throughout the world. The amendment also adds a  
fiscal note to the bill.