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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 162, L.D. 443, Bill, "An Act To List Agriculture as a Designated Use in Water Quality Standards"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 8 the following:

'Sec. 9. Effective date. Those sections of this Act that amend the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 38, section 465, subsection 1, paragraph A; subsection 2, paragraph A; subsection 3, paragraph A; and subsection 4, paragraph A and section 465-A, subsection 1, paragraph A take effect when the water use standards for maintaining in-stream flows are finally adopted as provided in Title 38, section 470-E.'

SUMMARY

The amendment provides that the sections of the bill that add agriculture as a designated use in the State's water quality standards will take effect when the water use standards for maintaining in-stream flows are finally adopted.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT