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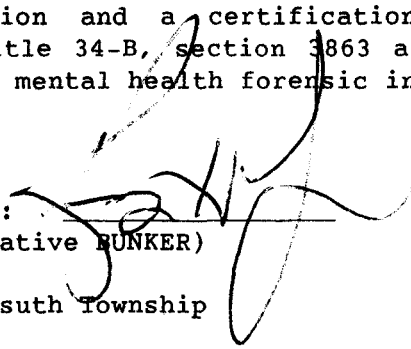
**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
121ST LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 367, L.D. 475, Bill, "An Act To Improve Conditions for Inmates with Mental Illness"

Amend the amendment in Part A by striking out all of section 2.

SUMMARY

This amendment removes from the committee amendment language that directs that a Justice of the Superior Court, upon being notified by the sheriff of a county in which an inmate has been determined by a competent medical authority to require inpatient treatment for mental illness, may issue an order transferring the inmate to a forensic hospital for treatment. This amendment also strikes language that directs that an inmate with respect to whom an application and a certification under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 34-B, section 3863 are made must be admitted to either state mental health forensic institute.

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HOUSE AMENDMENT