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L.D. 1469

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BUSINESS, RESEARCH AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1074, L.D. 1469, Bill, "An Act To Raise the Fee Caps of the Board of Dental Examiners"

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

'An Act To Raise the Fee Cap for Dentists'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "**\$1085.**" in the first paragraph in the last line (page 2, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "**\$500.**" and inserting in its place the following: '**\$400.**'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of sections 4 to 13.

SUMMARY

This amendment deletes those provisions of the bill that raised the fee caps for dental hygienists, denturists and dental radiographers. The amendment retains the provision that raises the fee cap for dentists. The amendment also raises the fee cap for licensure of dentists with out-of-state licenses to \$400 rather than \$500 to be consistent with licensure of in-state dentists, in order to avoid constitutional problems.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

**121st Maine Legislature
Office of Fiscal and Program Review**

LD 1469

An Act to Raise the Fee Cap for Dentists



LR 1928(02)

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment " "

Committee: Business, Research and Economic Development

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Potential current biennium revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Raising the cap on fees that may be assessed by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Board of Dental Examiners may increase the amount of dedicated revenue collected. The amount can not be determined at this time.