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L.D. 1616

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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. 1194, L.D. 1616, Bill, "An Act To Promote Stewardship of Forest Resources"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the first 3 indented paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 22 to 37 in amendment) and inserting in their place the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out all of Part A.

Further amend the bill in Part B by striking out all of the first line (page 2, line 28 in L.D.)'

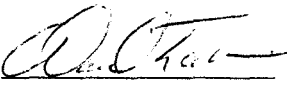
Further amend the amendment by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

'Further amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.'

SUMMARY

This amendment strikes Part A of the bill, which defines the public's interest in forests, defines "liquidation harvesting" and requires the Commissioner of Conservation to adopt rules substantially prohibiting liquidation harvesting. This amendment leaves intact Part B of the bill, which requires the Commissioner of Conservation to develop recommendations for solutions to the issue of liquidation harvesting.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

SPONSORED BY: 
(Representative TRAHAN)

TOWN: Waldoboro

HOUSE AMENDMENT



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

LD 1616

An Act to Promote Stewardship of Forest Resources

LR 2131(04)

Fiscal Note for House Amendment " " to Committee Amendment " "

Sponsor: Rep. Trahan

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor savings - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment removes the requirement that the Department of Conservation adopt certain rules; thereby lessening the amount of minor costs that the department will incur in implementing the amended bill.