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**STATE OF MAINE  
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SECOND SPECIAL SESSION**

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SENATE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P.  
1342, L.D. 1820, Bill, "An Act To Establish the Gambling Control  
Board To License and Regulate Slot Machines at Commercial Harness  
Racing Tracks"

20 Amend the amendment on page 15 by striking out all of  
paragraph F and inserting in its place the following:

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'F. Two percent of the total gross slot machine income must  
be forwarded by the board to the University of Maine System  
for application to the University of Maine System  
Scholarship Fund created in Title 20-A, section 10909;'

28 Further amend the amendment on page 17 by striking out all  
of the 7th indented paragraph (page 17, lines 43 and 44 in  
30 amendment)

32 Further amend the amendment by striking out all of Part B,  
section 9.

34 Further amend the amendment by inserting before the next to  
36 last indented paragraph before the summary the following:

38 'Further amend the bill by inserting after Part B, section 9  
the following:

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**·PART C**

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Sec. C-1. 20-A MRSA §10909 is enacted to read:

§10909. University of Maine System Scholarship Fund

**SENATE AMENDMENT**

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SENATE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1342,  
L.D. 1820

2           The University of Maine System Scholarship Fund is created  
4           and established as a nonlapsing fund under the jurisdiction and  
6           control of the Board of Trustees of the University of Maine  
8           System. All revenues credited to this fund must be distributed  
10           as need-based scholarships for students attending the University  
12           of Maine System. These scholarships may be awarded only to those  
              students who are residents of the State. The fund may not be  
              used for the costs of administering the scholarships. Amounts  
              credited to the fund pursuant to Title 29-A, section 456,  
              subsection 2, paragraph A may not be distributed as scholarships  
              to students attending the University of Maine.

14           **Sec. C-2. 20-A MRSA §11631**, as amended by PL 2001, c. 623,  
16           §3, is repealed.

18           **Sec. C-3. 29-A MRSA §456, sub-§2, ¶A**, as amended by PL 1995,  
              c. 645, Pt. A, §2 and affected by §18, is further amended to read:

20           A. Fourteen dollars to the University of Maine System  
22           Scholarship Fund established in Title 20-A, section ~~11631~~  
              10909; and

24           **Sec. C-4. Transfer of funds.** Any funds remaining in the fund  
26           formerly held by the Finance Authority of Maine in the University  
28           of Maine System Scholarship Fund established in former Title  
30           20-A, section 11631 must be transferred to the Board of Trustees  
              of the University of Maine to be deposited in the University of  
              Maine System Scholarship Fund established in Title 20-A, section  
              10909.

32           **Sec. C-5. Appropriations and allocations.** The following  
34           appropriations and allocations are made.

36           **AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL RESOURCES,**  
              **DEPARTMENT OF**

38           **Harness Racing Commission    0320**

40           Initiative: Allocates funds for distribution of revenues to  
42           various accounts.

44	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	All Other	\$0	\$3,477,038
46	Other Special Revenue Funds Total	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$3,477,038</u>

48           **AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL RESOURCES,**

R.O.S.

SENATE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1342,  
L.D. 1820

2	<b>DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
4	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,477,038</b>
	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,477,038</b>

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**ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE**  
**Administration - Attorney General 0310**

12 Initiative: Provides funds for one Assistant Attorney General  
14 position to assist in rulemaking, forfeitures, license  
16 application denial appeals and other required legal services.

16	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	Positions - Legislative Count	(0.000)	(1.000)
18	Personal Services	\$0	\$62,234
	All Other	0	8,996
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	General Fund Total	\$0	\$71,230

22	<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE</b>		
24	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
26	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$71,230</b>
28	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$71,230</b>

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**PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF**

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**Gambling Control Board**

34 Initiative: Provides funds for one Director position, one State  
36 Police Lieutenant position, one State Police Sergeant position,  
38 one State Police Detective position, one Identification  
40 Specialist II position, one Auditor II position, 2 Public Safety  
42 Inspector I positions, 2 Clerk Typist III positions and general  
operating expenses that include the installation and  
administration of an on-line monitoring system and the costs of  
conducting necessary background checks.

42	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
44	Positions - Legislative Count	(0.000)	(10.000)
	Personal Services	\$0	\$852,963
46	All Other	0	846,585
	Capital Expenditures	0	55,000
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	General Fund Total	\$0	\$1,754,548

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SENATE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1342,  
L.D. 1820

2	<b>PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
4	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,754,548</b>
6	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,754,548</b>
8	<b>MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM,</b>		
	<b>BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
10	<b>Maine Community College System - Board of Trustees</b>	<b>0556</b>	
12	Initiative: Allocates funds for the scholarship program.		
14	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
16	All Other	\$0	\$158,489
18	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$158,489</b>
20	<b>MAINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM,</b>		
	<b>BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
22	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
24	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$158,489</b>
26	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$158,489</b>
28	<b>UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM,</b>		
	<b>BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
30	<b>University of Maine System Scholarship Fund</b>		
32	Initiative: Allocates funds for the University of Maine System		
34	Scholarship Fund.		
36	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
	All Other	\$0	\$316,979
38	<b>Other Special Revenue Funds Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$316,979</b>
40	<b>UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM,</b>		
	<b>BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE</b>		
42	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
44	<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$316,979</b>
46	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$316,979</b>
48	<b>SECTION TOTALS</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>2004-05</b>
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**SENATE AMENDMENT**

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SENATE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1342,  
L.D. 1820

2	GENERAL FUND	\$0	\$1,825,778
	OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	0	3,952,506
4	SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$5,778,284</u>

6 Further amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering  
8 any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read  
consecutively.

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**SUMMARY**

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14 This amendment repeals the University of Maine Scholarship  
Fund currently held by the Finance Authority of Maine and creates  
16 an identical fund to be administered by the University of Maine  
System Board of Trustees. Two percent of the total gross slot  
18 machine income will go to the new fund, rather than the repealed  
fund, for the same purpose.

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**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

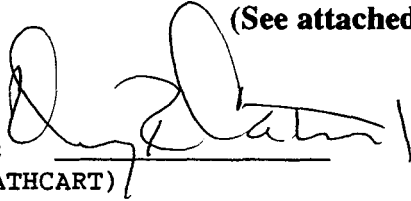
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SPONSORED BY:



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(Senator CATHCART)

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COUNTY: Penobscot

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**SENATE AMENDMENT**

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



**LD 1820**

**An Act To Establish the Gambling Control Board To License and Regulate Slot Machines at Commercial Harness Racing Tracks**

**LR 2664(25)**

**Fiscal Note Senate Amendment 'H' to Committee Amendment 'A'**

**Sponsor: Sen. Cathcart**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

**Fiscal Note**

	2003-04	2004-05	Projections 2005-06	Projections 2006-07
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Revenue</b>				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

**Fiscal Detail and Notes**

This amendment has no net effect on Other Special Revenue Funds allocations and revenues. The loss of Other Special Revenue Funds allocations and revenues of \$316,979 in fiscal year 2004-05 for the Finance Authority of Maine will be offset by gains of the same amounts during the same fiscal year for the Board of Trustees of the University of Maine System.