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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
122ND LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "G" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 6, L.D. 1, Bill, "An Act To Increase the State Share of Education Costs, Reduce Property Taxes and Reduce Government Spending at All Levels"

Amend the amendment by inserting after Part I the following:

PART J

**Sec. J-1. Application process for Maine Residents Property Tax Program.** The Joint Standing Committee on Taxation shall report out a bill to include the application for the Maine Residents Property Tax Program established in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 907 as part of the individual tax return required by Title 36, Part 8. The bill must include a requirement that the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Maine Revenue Services allow an individual to use a reimbursement under the Maine Residents Property Tax Program as a setoff against any income taxes owed. The Joint Standing Committee on Taxation shall report out the bill by April 15, 2005.


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

SUMMARY

This amendment requires the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation to report out a bill, by April 15, 2005, to include the

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2 application for the Maine Residents Property Tax Program as part  
of the individual tax return, and to allow an individual to apply  
4 the reimbursement under the so-called "circuit breaker" program  
against any income taxes owed by that individual.

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10 SPONSORED BY:   
(Representative BOWEN)

12 TOWN: Rockport

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED  
(See attached)



Approved: 01/18/05 *MAC*

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LR 0328(17)

**An Act to Increase the State Share of Education Costs, Reduce Property Taxes and Reduce Government Spending at All Levels**

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

**Sponsor: Rep. Bowen**

**Fiscal Note Required: Yes**

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## Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund