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

HOUSE AMENDMENT "*J*" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 343, L.D. 468, Bill, "An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government, General Fund and Other Funds, and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2006 and June 30, 2007"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of Part O.

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

SUMMARY

This amendment removes the provisions that apply the 7% sales tax on lodging to the casual rental of living quarters for more than 14 days in a calendar year, including cottages, condominium units and vacation homes, beginning July 1, 2005.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

SPONSORED BY: *Earle McCormick*
(Representative McCORMICK)

TOWN: West Gardiner

HOUSE AMENDMENT



122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 468

LR 2149(39)

An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government, General Fund and Other Funds, and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2006 and June 30, 2007

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

Sponsor: Rep. McCormick

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07
Net Cost (Savings)		
General Fund	\$3,607,244	\$4,249,761
Appropriations/Allocations		
General Fund	(\$64,722)	(\$64,135)
Revenue		
General Fund	(\$3,671,966)	(\$4,313,896)
Other Special Revenue Funds	(\$197,334)	(\$231,832)

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment will increase the General Fund cost of the bill by \$3,607,244 in fiscal year 2005-06 and \$4,249,761 in fiscal year 2006-07. Based on the estimated year-end balances, a balanced budget is not maintained for the 2006-2007 biennium.