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L.D. 792

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 259, L.D. 792, Bill, "An Act To Allow Limited Partnerships between Brewers and Wholesalers"

Amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "§1363." in subsection 3 in the first paragraph in the last line (page 2, line 14 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "partner" the following: 'if the certificate of approval holder had been a supplier of products to the wholesale business that is being acquired by the wholesale licensee prior to entering into the limited partnership'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "§1363." in subsection 3 in paragraph A in the last line (page 2, line 23 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "business" the following: 'or in its routine management'

Further amend the bill by inserting after section 2 and before the summary the following:

'Sec. 3. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Administrative Services and Corporations 0692

Initiative: Appropriates funds on a one-time basis for certain computer reprogramming costs pertaining to the regulation of limited partnerships.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

2008

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT ^A" to S.P. 259, L.D. 792

2	GENERAL FUND	2005-06	2006-07
4	All Other	\$3,863	\$0
6	GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$3,863	\$0

SUMMARY

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10 This amendment is the minority report and requires a

12 certificate of approval holder to have a prior business

14 relationship with the wholesale business being acquired by the

16 wholesale licensee before entering into a partnership with that

18 wholesaler. It also specifically prohibits the certificate of

20 approval holder from participating in the daily operations of the

 partnership.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 792

LR 0819(02)

An Act To Allow Limited Partnerships between Brewers and Wholesalers

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Legal and Veterans Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Minority Report

Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07	Projections 2007-08	Projections 2008-09
Net Cost (Savings)				
General Fund	\$3,863	\$0	\$0	\$0
Appropriations/Allocations				
General Fund	\$3,863	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The requirement that certain limited partnerships would be self terminating after 10 years will require a one-time additional General Fund appropriation of \$3,863 in fiscal year 2005-06 to the Department of the Secretary of State for the costs of reprogramming computer systems to allow proper tracking.