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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 398, L.D. 1170, Bill, "An Act To Exempt Fire Departments from Biweekly Pay Requirements for Volunteer Firefighters"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §621-A, sub-§6 is enacted to read:

6. Volunteer firefighters. Notwithstanding subsection 1, a municipal fire department may make payments owed to a volunteer firefighter at regular intervals not to exceed 6 months. For purposes of this subsection, "municipal fire department" has the same meaning as in Title 30-A, section 3151, subsection 1 and "volunteer firefighter" has the same meaning as in Title 30-A, section 3151, subsection 4.

SUMMARY

This amendment clarifies that fire departments may pay volunteer firefighters every 6 months or more frequently.