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L.D. 1219

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NATURAL RESOURCES

Minority

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 837, L.D. 1219, Bill, "An Act To Improve the Business Climate in Maine"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in the 4th line (page 1, line 9 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "while maintaining the State's economic viability" and inserting in its place the following: 'with actions that protect natural resources and public health and promote a sustainable economy'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 2.

SUMMARY

This amendment is the minority report. The amendment amends the mission of the Department of Environmental Protection to direct the department to undertake the department's stated purposes with actions that protect natural resources and public health and promote a sustainable economy. The amendment also strikes from the bill authorization for the department to employ an economist.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



Approved: 05/02/05 *MAC*

122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1219

LR 1062(02)

An Act To Improve the Business Climate in Maine

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

Committee: Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund