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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
122ND LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 723, L.D. 1923, Bill, "An Act To Maintain Standards for the Plumbing Profession"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph B in the first line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "2,000 4,000" and inserting in its place the following: '2,000'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph B in the 3rd line from the end (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "community college" the following: 'or a registered Department of Labor joint apprenticeship program'

SUMMARY

This amendment retains the 2,000 required hours of work for a person who has completed one academic year of instruction in plumbing and adds the option of completion of a registered Department of Labor joint apprenticeship program to satisfy the requirement for a journeyman-in-training license.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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LR 2850(02)

An Act to Maintain Standards for the Plumbing Profession

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

Committee: Business, Research and Economic Development

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Plumbers' Examining Board within the Office of Licensing and Registration, Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, associated with rulemaking can be absorbed utilizing existing budgeted resources.