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1	L.D. 280
2	Date: $05-09-07$ (Filing No. S- 98)
3	CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY
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5	STATE OF MAINE
6	SENATE
7	123RD LEGISLATURE
8	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
9	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 95, L.D. 280, Bill, "An Act To Make a Conviction for a 6th Operating under the Influence Charge a Class B Crime"
1 2 3	Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1-A in paragraph B in subparagraph (4) (page 1, line 12 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "offenses" the following: 'within a 15-year period'
4 5 6	Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1-A in paragraph C in subparagraph (5) (page 1, line 19 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "offenses" the following: 'within a 15-year period'
7	SUMMARY
8 9 0	This amendment specifies that the new Class B crime of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence 6 or more times is limited by a 15-year lookback period, which is 5 years more than the current lookback period for operating under the influence offenses but less than the lifetime lookback proposed in the bill.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

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An Act To Make a Conviction for a 6th Operating under the Influence Charge a Class B Crime

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"
Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Current biennium cost increase - General Fund

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Increases the class of crime for OUI to class B for person with 5 previous convictions; increases correctional and judicial costs. Sentences of more than nine months imposed for a Class B crime must be served in a state correction 'facility. The average cost to the state for each sentence is \$98,327 based on an average length of stay of 2 years 7 months. Sentences of nine months or less imposed for a Class B crime must be served in a county jail. The average cost to a county for each sentence is \$26,677 based on an average length of stay of 8 months and 12 days.