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L.D. 876
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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
123RD LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 666, L.D. 876, "Resolve, To Study
Maine's Agricultural Creative Economy Sector"

Amend the resolve in section 1 by striking out all of the first paragraph (page 1, lines
1 to 6 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

**'Sec. 1. Departments to study the value-added agricultural creative
economy sector of the State's economy. Resolved:** That the Department of
Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources, in collaboration with the Department of Labor,
Department of Economic and Community Development and Department of Conservation,
shall undertake a study of the value-added agricultural creative economy sector of the
State's economy. The study, which may be referred to as "the ACES study," must
include consideration of.'

Amend the resolve by striking out all of section 2 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 2. Report. Resolved: That, no later than December 5, 2007, the
Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources shall report the findings of the
ACES study to the Joint Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
and the Joint Standing Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development;
and be it further

Sec. 3. Legislation. Resolved: That, no later than December 5, 2007, the
Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources shall submit legislation to the
Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature to implement recommendations
developed during the ACES study process.'

SUMMARY

This amendment makes technical changes to the resolve and specifies that the
Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources submit its report to the Joint
Standing Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry and the Joint Standing

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 666, L.D. 876

1 Committee on Business, Research and Economic Development and implementing
2 legislation to the Second Regular Session of the 123rd Legislature.

3 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**
4 (See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



123rd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 876

LR 706(02)

Resolve, To Study Maine's Agricultural Creative Economy Sector

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

Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Labor and the Department of Economic and Community Development can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.