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STATE OF MAINE

SENATE

124TH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 229, L.D. 614, Bill, "An Act To Improve Child Support Collection Procedures by Changing the Process of Modifying a Support Order"

Amend the bill by inserting before section 1 the following:

'Sec. 1. 19-A MRSA §2201, sub-§1, ¶E, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 694, Pt. B, §2 and affected by Pt. E, §2, is amended to read:

E. If the department certifies the obligor to a board for noncompliance with an order of support, the board must revoke the obligor's license and refuse to issue or reissue a license until the obligor provides the board with a written confirmation of compliance from the department that states the obligor is in compliance with the obligor's order of support. A revocation by an agency or a refusal by an agency to reissue, renew or otherwise extend the license or certificate of authority is deemed a final determination within the meaning of Title 5, section 10002; and

Sec. 2. 19-A MRSA §2201, sub-§1, ¶F, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 694, Pt. B, §2 and affected by Pt. E, §2, is repealed.'

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. 19-A MRSA §2202, sub-§2, ¶F, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 694, Pt. B, §2 and affected by Pt. E, §2, is amended to read:

F. If the obligor requests a hearing, the obligor shall direct the request to the department's support enforcement office that is responsible for handling the obligor's case; and

Sec. 3. 19-A MRSA §2202, sub-§2, ¶G, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 694, Pt. B, §2 and affected by Pt. E, §2, is repealed.'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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**SUMMARY**

This amendment repeals 2 provisions concerning the notice to the child support obligor who owes child support arrearages before a professional, recreational or driver's license is revoked. Eliminating these provisions is consistent with the bill's elimination of the automatic stay of enforcement actions when a motion to modify current child support is filed.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)



# 124th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 614

LR 1667(02)

## An Act To Improve Child Support Collection Procedures by Changing the Process of Modifying a Support Order

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

Committee: Judiciary

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

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### Fiscal Note

Minor revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

#### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Assumes a potential minor increase in Department of Health and Human Services' child support collections. The amount of the increase cannot be determined at this time.