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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
124TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1023, L.D. 1470, "Resolve, To Recognize Women Veterans in the State House Hall of Flags"

Amend the resolve by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting the following:

Sec. 1. Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services to establish working group. Resolved: That the Director of the Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services within the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management shall establish a working group to arrange for a plaque to be displayed in the Hall of Flags in the State House to honor women veterans of the State. The working group shall consult with the State House and Capitol Park Commission and the Legislative Council to develop a design and choose a site for the plaque to be displayed in the State House Hall of Flags; and be it further

Sec. 2. Funding. Resolved: That the Director of the Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services in coordination with the working group established under section 1 may accept outside sources of funding to contract for the design and construction of the plaque. The director shall provide prompt notice of solicitation and acceptance of funds to the Legislative Council. All funds accepted must be forwarded to the Executive Director of the Legislative Council along with an accounting record that includes the amount of funds, date the funds were received, from whom the funds were received and the purpose of and any limitation on the use of the funds. The Executive Director of the Legislative Council shall administer any funds received; and be it further

Sec. 3. Report; final authorization. Resolved: That the working group established under section 1 shall submit a report regarding the proposed location and design of the plaque to the Joint Standing Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs and the Legislative Council through the Office of the Executive Director no later than January 15, 2010. The final authorization for the placement of the plaque in the State House Hall of Flags must be made by the Legislative Council; and be it further

Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations. Resolved: That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

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Initiative: Provides a base allocation to authorize expenditures of any funds received by the Director of the Bureau of Maine Veterans' Services within the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management to contract for the design and construction of a plaque to honor women veterans of the State.

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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2009-10	2010-11
All Other	\$500	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$500	\$0

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SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the resolve. The amendment establishes a resolve that creates a working group to design and arrange for the placement of a plaque in the State House Hall of Flags to honor women veterans of the State. The amendment also adds an appropriations and allocations section.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)



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LD 1470

LR 1965(02)

Resolve, To Recognize Women Veterans in the State House Hall of Flags

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

Committee: Legal and Veterans Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

	2009-10	2010-11	Projections 2011-12	Projections 2012-13
Appropriations/Allocations				
Other Special Revenue Funds	\$500	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This Resolve includes a base Other Special Revenue Funds allocation of \$500 in fiscal year 2009-10 to the State House and Capitol Park Commission to authorize the expenditure of any funds received from outside sources by the Director of the Bureau of Veterans Services to contract for the design and construction of a plaque to honor women veterans in the State.

Additional costs to the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management associated with the working group can be absorbed within existing budgeted resources.