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125TH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "**D**" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1044, L.D. 1418, Bill, "An Act To Allow Table Games at a Facility Licensed To Operate Slot Machines on January 1, 2011"

Amend the amendment in section 10 in subsection 2-C in paragraph A in the first line (page 6, line 3 in amendment) by striking out the following: "<u>Nine</u>" and inserting the following: '<u>Eight</u>'

Amend the amendment in section 10 in subsection 2-C in paragraph C in the first line (page 6, line 9 in amendment) by striking out the following: "<u>Two</u>" and inserting the following: '<u>One</u>'

Amend the amendment in section 10 in subsection 2-C in paragraph C in the last line (page 6, line 10 in amendment) by striking out the following: "and"

Amend the amendment in section 10 in subsection 2-C in paragraph D in the last line (page 6, line 15 in amendment) by striking out the following: "2013." and inserting the following: '2013; and'

Amend the amendment in section 10 in subsection 2-C by inserting after paragraph D the following:

'E. Two percent of net table game income must be forwarded directly to a federally recognized Indian tribe in the State licensed to conduct high-stakes beano on January 1, 2010.'

SUMMARY.

This amendment provides that 2% of net table game income must be forwarded directly to a federally recognized Indian tribe in the State licensed to conduct high-stakes beano on January 1, 2010. It reduces the net table game income that must be deposited to the General Fund for administrative expenses of the Department of Public Safety,

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Gambling Control Board from 9% to 8% and reduces the net table game income that must be forwarded directly to the municipality in which the table games are located from 2% to 1%.

SPONSORED BY: 4 (Senator PATRICK) 5 6 COUNTY: Oxford

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FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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SENATE AMENDMENT



125th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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An Act To Allow Table Games at a Facility Licensed To Operate Slot Machines on January 1, 2011

Fiscal Note for Senate Amendment "D' to Committee Amendment "A" S-365 Sponsor: Sen. Patrick of Oxford Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Contingent current biennium revenue decrease - General Fund Contingent current biennium revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This amendment proposes to reduce the amount of net table game income from the Bangor facility distributed to the General Fund from 9% to 8%, reduce the amount distributed to the municipality from 2% to 1% and distribute 2% to a federally recognized Indian tribe. While the total tax remains at 16% of net table game income, the estimated annual net effect would be a reduction of \$53,120 in the General Fund revenue shown on the committee amendment, a reduction of \$53,120 to the municipality and a payment of \$106,240 to the Indian tribe. The payment from the Bangor facility is contingent upon municipal approval of table games.