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STATE OF MAINE

SENATE

127TH LEGISLATURE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 564, L.D. 1466, Bill, "An Act To Exempt Certain Liquor Sales Representatives from Licensing Requirements"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act Regarding Sales Representatives Employed by Licensed Wholesalers'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting the following:

Sec. 1. 28-A MRSA §1401, sub-§7, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 45, Pt. A, §4, is amended to read:

7. Warehouses and sales representatives. A wholesale licensee shall maintain a warehouse or warehouses within the State and employ one or more sales representatives, licensed under chapter 59, for the purpose of soliciting orders. For the purposes of this subsection, "sales representative" means an employee of a wholesale licensee whose primary duty is soliciting orders from or making sales to retail licensees.

Sec. 2. 28-A MRSA §1502, first ¶, as amended by PL 1997, c. 373, §135, is further amended to read:

The sales Sales representatives, including those described in section 1401, subsection 7, shall apply to the bureau for a license disclosing the person, firm or corporation represented.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill and changes the title. The amendment provides a definition of "sales representative" as it applies to licensed wholesalers. It clarifies that the provision in current law that requires liquor sales representatives to be licensed by the Department of Administrative and Financial Services, Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages and Lottery Operations applies to sales representatives employed by licensed wholesalers.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See Attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1466

LR 2295(02)

An Act To Exempt Certain Liquor Sales Representatives from Licensing Requirements

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment A(S-357)
Committee: Veterans and Legal Affairs
Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Any additional revenue from requiring liquor sales representatives employed by a wholesale licensee to be licensed is expected to be minor.