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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 258, L.D. 892, Bill, "An Act To
Exempt MaineCare Appendix C Private Nonmedical Institutions from the Service
Provider Tax"

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

13 'Resolve, To Require the Examination of Alternatives to the Service Provider Tax'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting the following:

15 'Sec. 1. Examination of alternatives to the service provider tax. Resolved: 16 That the Department of Health and Human Services in partnership with the Department of Administrative and Financial Services and other state agencies that the departments 17 18 determine should be included shall examine the service provider tax imposed pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter 358 and alternatives to that tax. The 19 20 departments shall submit a report on their findings and recommendations to the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation by March 1, 2020 describing the advantages and 21 22 disadvantages of the service provider tax and alternatives that were examined. The committee may submit a bill related to the report to the Second Regular Session of the 23 129th Legislature.' 24

SUMMARY 25 26 This amendment replaces the bill with a resolve that directs the Department of Health and Human Services in partnership with the Department of Administrative and Financial 27 Services and other state agencies that the departments determine should be included to 28 29 examine the service provider tax and alternatives to the tax and submit a report on their findings to the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation by March 1, 2020. The committee 30 is authorized to submit a bill to the Second Regular Session of the 129th Legislature. 31 32 FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached) 33

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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An Act To Exempt MaineCare Appendix C Private Nonmedical Institutions from the Service Provider Tax

> Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "作(らつみらう) Committee: Taxation Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Fiscal Detail and Notes

Additional costs to the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department of Administrative and Financial Services associated with performing the review and reporting the results can be performed within existing budgeted resources.