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ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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STATE OF MAINE

SENATE

130TH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 323, L.D. 1028, "An Act To Ease Business Expansion by Increasing the Number and Applicability of Permit Exemptions under the Site Location of Development Laws"

Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 3 and 4.

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

SUMMARY

This amendment removes from the bill the increase of the square footage allowed to be disturbed and not revegetated in a calendar year and the total square footage allowed to be disturbed and not revegetated in order for new construction at or modification of existing development to qualify for an exemption from review under the laws governing site location of development. It also removes language that specifies that the addition of a dwelling unit does not constitute a division of a parcel of land.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



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An Act To Ease Business Expansion by Increasing the Number and Applicability of Permit Exemptions under the Site Location of Development Laws

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-89)

Committee: Environment and Natural Resources

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Minor savings - Other Special Revenue Funds

Minor revenue decrease - Other Special Revenue Funds

Fiscal Detail and Notes

This bill would amend the site location of development laws to allow for exemptions from review if specific criteria are met. The Department of Environmental Protection anticipates this change will result in a small increase in projects that would be exempted from department review. This will result in a minor decrease in application fee revenue and minor savings from the decreased workload.