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Date 6/13/23 Majority

L D. 1340
(Filing No H-512)

3 **CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY**

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5 **STATE OF MAINE**
6 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**
7 **131ST LEGISLATURE**
8 **FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

9 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H P 854, L D 1340, "An Act to Prohibit the
10 Sale or Possession of Rapid-fire Modification Devices"

11 Amend the bill in section 1 in §1060 in subsection 1 by inserting before paragraph A
12 the following

13 'A "Auto sear" means a device that, when installed in or attached to a semi-automatic
14 firearm, prevents the trigger bar from limiting the semi-automatic firearm to firing only
15 one round each time the trigger is pulled'

16 Amend the bill in section 1 in §1060 in subsection 1 by striking out all of paragraph D
17 (page 1, lines 15 to 17 in L.D.) and inserting the following

18 'D "Rapid-fire modification device" means a device that is designed to accelerate the
19 rate of fire of a semi-automatic firearm, including, but not limited to, an auto sear,
20 binary trigger system, bump stock device, burst trigger system or trigger crank'

21 Amend the bill in section 1 in §1060 in subsection 1 by relettering the paragraphs to
22 read alphabetically

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

25 **SUMMARY**

26 This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, defines "auto sear"
27 and includes it in the crime of possession of a of rapid-fire modification device, which is
28 established in this bill

29 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

30 (See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT



131st MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1340

LR 1181(02)

An Act to Prohibit the Sale or Possession of Rapid-fire Modification Devices

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment

Committee: Criminal Justice and Public Safety

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

A (H-512)

Fiscal Note

Minor cost increase - General Fund

Minor revenue increase - General Fund

Minor revenue increase - Other Special Revenue Funds

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Establishes new Class D crimes

The additional workload associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system does not require additional funding at this time

The collection of additional fines will increase General Fund or other dedicated revenue by minor amounts