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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
95th LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1398, L. D. 1011, Bill "An Act
Relating to Dealers in Livestock."

Amend said Bill by striking out the last 3 paragraphs thereof
and inserting in place thereof the 3 following paragraphs:

"Licensed dealers selling cattle over 6 months of age ~~to other~~
~~than-recognized-slaughtering-establishments-for-immediate-slaughter~~
except as provided above shall furnish the purchaser with a health
certificate showing the date of the last known test for Bang's
disease and tuberculosis. If the last Bang's disease test was made
over 30 days previously he shall cause the cattle to be retested. If
the last tuberculosis test is unknown or was made before 3 years
previous to the time of the transaction he shall cause the cattle to
be retested by an accredited veterinarian. The form of health
certificate and the issuance of the same shall be at the direction
of the commissioner or his duly authorized agent.

A licensed dealer shall at all times keep his motor vehicles
or trucks and premises in a sanitary condition. No cattle known to
be affected with tuberculosis or Bang's disease shall be transported
in any vehicle with other cattle except those going directly for
slaughter.

All motor vehicles, trucks or other conveyances used to trans-
port known reactors to tuberculosis and Bang's disease shall be
cleaned and disinfected before being used for the transportation of
any other livestock."

Reported by the Committee on Agriculture .

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