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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
97th LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1102, L. D. 1292, Bill, "An Act Relating to Marketing of Milk."

Amend said bill by inserting at the beginning of the 1st line thereof the underlined abbreviation and figure 'Sec. 1.'

Further amend said bill by inserting after "Sec. II" a new underlined section to read as follows:

'Sec. II-A. Expenditure of funds. Moneys received through the provisions of this chapter shall be paid forthwith to the Treasurer of State and shall be appropriated and used for the following purposes:

I. For the collection of all fees and assessments provided for by this chapter;

II. For the cost of administering the provisions of this chapter;

III. 66 2/3% of such moneys raised by assessments for the promotional, educational, experimental plans and the research and advertising purposes as determined by the Maine Dairy Council Committee and for the compensation of and the expenses incurred by the Maine Dairy Council Committee. All promotional and advertising plans shall be under the supervision of the Maine Development Commission.

Moneys received through the provisions of this chapter shall remain a continuing carrying account and shall not lapse.'

Further amend said bill by striking out all of "Sec. 12" and inserting in place thereof the following underlined section:

'Sec. 12. Maine Dairy Council Committee. The Maine Dairy Council Committee, as heretofore established, shall consist of the following 5 members: the Commissioner of Agriculture, 2 producers and 2 dealers to be appointed by the Commissioner of Agriculture on recommendation of the various producer and dealer associations, individuals or unorganized groups of producers and dealers in the State. Each appointed member shall serve for 2 years, or until his successor is duly appointed and qualified. In case of a vacancy caused by death, resignation or otherwise, the vacancy shall be filled by the Commissioner for the unexpired period of the term. The appointed members shall receive the same compensation as the members of the Maine Milk Commission and be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.'

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Further amend said bill in subsection V of Section 15 by striking out in the 5th line the underlined figure "24" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure "30".

Further amend said bill by striking out all of "Sec. 26"

Further amend said bill by renumbering sections 27 to 55, inclusive, to be sections 26 to 54, inclusive.

Filed by Mr. Bowie of Durham.

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