

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REFRESENTATIVES 98th LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 38, L.D. 51, Bill, "An Act Relating

to State Liquor Tax."

Amend said Bill by Inserting after the Title thereof and before the enacting clause, the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after the Legislature adjourns; and

Whereas, announced liquor price changes from vendors are to become effective April 1, 1957; and

Whereas, freight rates are to be increased this spring; and

Whereas, simplification of accounting procedure within the Liquor Commission is essential to effect financial savings and to render better services to the citizens of the State of Maine; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end thereof the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect April 1, 1957.'

Filed by Mr. Pierce of Bucksport.

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