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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 314, L.D. 756, “An Act to Provide Funding for Positions in the Penobscot County Sheriff’s Office”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Provide Funding for Rural State Trooper Positions'

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF

State Police 0291

Initiative: Establishes 5 State Police Trooper positions to provide rural patrol.

	2023-24	2024-25
GENERAL FUND		
POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	5,000	5,000
Personal Services	\$428,395	\$442,103
All Other	\$32,500	\$32,500
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$460,895	\$474,603
HIGHWAY FUND		
Personal Services	\$230,675	\$238,056
All Other	\$17,500	\$17,500
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$248,175	\$255,556

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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

This amendment, which is one of 3 minority reports of the committee, replaces the appropriations and allocations section. It changes the ongoing appropriations in the bill for the Penobscot County Sheriff's Office to hire 5 new patrol positions to instead fund 5 new rural patrol State Police Trooper positions with the Maine State Police.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)