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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 691, L.D. 996, Bill, “An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue for Food Processing Infrastructure in Rural Areas of the State”

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

'An Act To Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue for Food Processing, Storage and Distribution Infrastructure in Central and Northern Maine'

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 5 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 5. Disbursement of bond proceeds from General Fund bond issue.
The proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized under this Act must be expended as designated in the following schedule under the direction and supervision of the agencies and entities set forth in this section.

FINANCE AUTHORITY OF MAINE

Provides funds for food processing, storage and distribution infrastructure in central and northern Maine in order to strengthen rural economic development and increase access to locally processed meat, poultry, fish and produce.

Total \$5,000,000

Amend the bill in section 9 by striking out all of the question (page 2, lines 17 and 18 in L.D.) and inserting the following:

""Do you favor a \$5,000,000 bond issue for food processing, storage and distribution infrastructure in central and northern Maine in order to strengthen rural economic development and increase access to locally processed meat, poultry, fish and produce?""

Amend the bill by inserting after section 9 the following:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

