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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 344, L.D. 1076, “An Act To Support the Operations of Youth Shelters in Maine”

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

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

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF
Mental Health Services - Children Z206**

Initiative: Provides additional funding to shelters for homeless children and emergency shelters for homeless children in the State.

GENERAL FUND	2021-22	2022-23
All Other	\$500,000	\$500,000
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$500,000	\$500,000

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the unanimous report of the committee, removes the sections of the bill related to the definitions and licensure of emergency children’s shelters and shelters for homeless children. It amends the initiative language in the appropriations and allocations section to clarify that the additional funding may be used for both shelters for homeless children and emergency shelters for homeless children.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT