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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 567, L.D. 1449, “An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Violations of Condition of Release”

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

'Sec. 1. 15 MRSA §1092, sub-§1, ¶B, as amended by PL 2005, c. 449, §2, is further amended to read:

B. A Class C crime if the underlying crime was punishable by a maximum period of imprisonment of one year or more and the condition of release violated is one specified in section 1026, subsection 3, paragraph A, subparagraph (5), or (8), ~~(10-A) or (13).~~'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill. The amendment removes the provisions under the offense of violation of condition of release that increase the offense from a Class E crime to a Class C crime when the underlying crime is punishable by a maximum period of imprisonment of one year or more and the condition of release violated is a requirement to enter into and remain in a long-term residential facility for the treatment of substance use disorder or a requirement to return to custody for specified hours following release for employment, schooling or other limited purposes.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT