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HOUSE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to H.P. 272, L.D. 346, Bill, “An Act To Reimburse Pharmacies under the MaineCare Program Based on Wholesale Acquisition Costs”

Amend the amendment by striking out all of sections 1 and 2.

Amend the amendment in section 3 in the 3rd line (page 2, line 1 in amendment) by inserting after the following: "prescription drug" the following: ', including member copayments,'

Amend the amendment by striking out all of sections 4 and 5.

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

SUMMARY

This amendment strikes provisions in Committee Amendment "A" authorizing pharmacies to charge copayments for prescription drugs under the MaineCare program in compliance with federal law and requires the inclusion of member copayments in the review by the Department of Health and Human Services of the cost of dispensing prescription drugs under the MaineCare program.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

SPONSORED BY: _____

(Representative STUCKEY)

TOWN: Portland

HOUSE AMENDMENT