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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
131ST LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to S.P. 906, L.D. 2113, “An Act to Provide Relief to Federal Employees Affected by a Federal Shutdown”

Amend the amendment by inserting after the substitute title (page 1, lines 12 and 13 in amendment) the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble.'

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the 2nd and 3rd instructional paragraphs (page 1, lines 14 to 18 in amendment).

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the **Whereas** paragraph (page 1, lines 19 to 22 in amendment).

Amend the amendment on page 3 by striking out all of the 3rd instructional paragraph (page 3, lines 5 and 6) and inserting the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 4 and 5 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 4. Additional transfer and allocation. The joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over appropriations and financial affairs, after consultation with the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over health coverage, insurance and financial services matters, may report out legislation to the First Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature to address any funding needs of the Government Shutdown Loan Guarantee Program established in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, chapter 110, subchapter 15.

Sec. 5. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**TREASURER OF STATE, OFFICE OF
Government Shutdown Loan Guarantee Program Fund N296**

Initiative: Establishes the Government Shutdown Loan Guarantee Program Fund with a \$250,000 transfer from the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$0	\$250,000

HOUSE AMENDMENT

1 OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL \$0 \$250,000

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3 Amend the amendment on page 3 by striking out all of the 4th instructional paragraph
4 (page 3, line 7 in amendment).

5 Amend the amendment on page 3 by striking out all of section 5.

6 Amend the amendment on page 3 by inserting after section 5 the following:

7 'Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency clause.'

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

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SUMMARY

11 This amendment amends Committee Amendment "A" to remove the emergency
12 preamble and emergency clause and shift funding from fiscal year 2023-24 to fiscal year
13 2024-25. It allows the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over
14 appropriations and financial affairs to report out legislation to the First Regular Session of
15 the 132nd Legislature rather than to the Second Regular Session of the 131st Legislation.

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SPONSORED BY: _____

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