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**Committee Amendment to LD 256, An Act To Adjust Sewer and Wastewater Lien Fees**

**Amend section 1 of the bill as follows:**

**Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §1208, 4th ¶**, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 29, §2, is amended to read:

The costs to be paid by the owner of the real estate served ~~shall be~~ are the sum of the fees for receiving, recording and indexing the lien, or its discharge, as established by Title 33, section 751, ~~subsection 12~~, plus ~~\$13~~ \$25, adjusted annually by the treasurer of the district for inflation based on the Consumer Price Index, as defined in Title 5, section 17001, subsection 9, plus all certified mail, return receipt requested, fees.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment specifies that flat fee paid by a delinquent sewer or wastewater ratepayer of \$25 can be adjusted annually by the treasurer of the district for inflation based on the Consumer Price Index.