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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 508, L.D. 696, “An Act To Prohibit Solitary Confinement in Maine's Corrections System”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act To Define "Solitary Confinement"'

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

'Sec. 1. 34-A MRSA §1001, sub-§17-A is enacted to read:

17-A. Solitary confinement. "Solitary confinement" means confinement in a cell for more than 22 hours per 24-hour day.'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment is the majority report of the committee. The amendment replaces the bill and provides a new title. The amendment defines for the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 34-A the term "solitary confinement."

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT