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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 103rd LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 514, L.D. 727, Resolve, Permitting R. Dean Seguin of South Paris to Take the Examination for Admission to Practice Law.

Amend said Resolve by striking out all of the Title and inserting in place thereof the following:

'An Act Relating to Qualifications of Applicants for Examination for Admission to Practice Law.'

Further amend said Resolve by striking out everything after the Title and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. R.S., T. 4, §804, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 804 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding after the first sentence, a new sentence, as follows:

Not withstanding the foregoing educational and study requirements, an applicant who suffers from polio or other similarly disabling disease and who has a high school education or possesses a certificate of equivalency of a high school education and who has studied law diligently and in good faith for at least 4 years, which study shall be by instruction and completion of a course in law from a correspondence law school, shall, if otherwise qualified, qualify to take the bar examinations.

Sec. 2. Application. This Act shall be effective for only 4 years.'

Filed by Mr. Berman of Houlton.

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(Filing No. H-331)