

STATE OF MAINE SENATE 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 121, L.D. 230, Bill, "AN ACT Pertaining to Absentee Voting."

Amend the amendment in the 2nd paragraph by inserting at the beginning the underlined abbreviation and figure 'Sec. 1;

Further amend the amendment by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

'Sec. 2. 21 MRSA §1253, sub-§2, 2nd sentence, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 500, §1, is repealed as follows:

The-elerk-shall-issue-to-any-3rd-person-so-designated-only-enough absentee-ballots-to-insure-that-such-a-person-shall-not-be-in possession-at-any-time-of-more-than-40-absentee-ballots-for voters-in-a-municipality.

Sec. 3. 21 MRSA § 1253, sub-§3, last ¶, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 500, §2, is repealed as follows:

The-elerk-shall-keep-a-list-of-the-3rd-persons,-designated-inapplications-or-requests,-to-whom-absentee-ballots-are-sent-or delivered-pursuant-to-subsection-2-and-of-the-number-of-absentee ballots-sent-or-delivered-to-such-persons.--Such-3rd-personsshall-not-be-in-possession-at-any-time-of-more-than-40-absentee ballots-for-voters-in-a-municipality-' SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 121, L.D. 230

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to remove the restrictions on the number of absentee ballots one can possess at any one time and also the burden on the $\ensuremath{\mathcal{C}}$ ity and Town $\ensuremath{\mathcal{C}}$ lerk is the restriction serves no useful purposes.

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