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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. H-335)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " # to H.P. 979, L.D. 1192, Bill,
"AN ACT to Enable Town Meetings to be Held Outside the Corporate
Limits Subject to Certain Limitations."

Amend the Bill by striking out everything after the amending clause and inserting in its place the following:

'6. Location of meetings. Town meetings may be held outside the corporate limits of the municipality if the proposed location is within an adjacent-municipality-and adjoining or nearby municipality, is not more than 25 miles from the corporate limits of the municipality holding the meetings, is reasonably accessible to all voters of the town and if the municipal officers determine that there is no adequate facility for the meeting within the municipality.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment makes the language of the bill more specific and provides more flexibility in the choice of a municipality in which to hold town meetings.

Reported by the Committee on Local and County Government Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House 5/4/79 (Filing No. H-335)