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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT A"to S.P. 147, L.D. 318, Bill, "AN ACT to Abolish the Legislative Council and Reestablish the Legislative Research Committee."

Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following:

Legislative
'AN ACT to Allow/Override of Legislative Council Action.'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'3 MRSA §161, as amended by PL 1979, c. 127, §5, is further amended by adding at the end of the 2nd paragraph the following new sentence:

The action shall be a final action unless overridden by passage

of a Joint Resolution of the Legislature approved by 2/3 of those

present and voting in the Senate and in the House of Representatives.

Statement of Fact

This amendment provides that any action taken by the Legislative cach Council may be overridden by 2/3 votes of /of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Reported by the Committee on State Government.

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