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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 110TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-278)

SENATE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 629, L.D. 1638, Bill, "AN ACT to Increase Local Control of Water Districts."

Amend the Bill in section 1 in that part designated

"§3223." in subsection 4 by striking out all of the first 2

sentences and inserting in their place the following:

'The trustees shall receive compensation as recommended by

them and approved by a majority of the municipal officers of

the municipality, including compensation for any duties they

perform as officers, as well as for their duties as trustees.

For districts serving more than one municipality, any change
in the compensation received by the trustees for any duties

they perform within the district shall be recommended by

them and approved by majority vote of the municipal officers
in municipalities representing a majority of the population

within the district.'

Further amend the Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§3224." in the 6th and 7th lines (5th line in L.D.) by striking out the underlined words "published by the appropriate federal agency" and inserting in their place the following: 'defined in Title 5, section 1001, subsection 6-A'

Further amend the Bill in section 1 in that part designated "§3226." by striking out all of the 2nd underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following: 'For any water districts formed before that date, any provision in the governing private and special law, that is, the charter, which is not in compliance with this chapter may remain in force,

except that section 3223, subsections 4 and 5, shall apply to those districts on January 1, 1982, and any contrary portion of the water district charter shall be considered repealed on that date.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment clarifies the language in the bill.

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