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L.D. 1537

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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
111TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 513,  
L.D. 1537, Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for Citizen  
Participation in the Decision to Construct any  
Nuclear Power Plant."

Amend the Bill in that part designated "§3381."  
by striking out all of the 3rd paragraph.

Further amend the Bill in that part designated  
"§3382." in the first paragraph in the first line  
(page 2, line 15 in L.D.) by striking the underlined  
word "Prior" and inserting in its place the follow-  
ing: 'After review of the proposed plant by the com-  
mission in accordance with section 13-A or 13-B, but  
prior'

Further amend the Bill in that part designated  
"§3382." by striking out all of the 2nd paragraph and  
inserting in its place the following:

'Do you approve construction of the nuclear  
power plant proposed for \_\_\_\_\_ (insert  
location)?'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of  
that part designated "§3383." and inserting it place  
the following:

'§3383. Notice; effective date of certificate; pro-  
hibition

Upon issuance of a certificate of public conven-  
ience and necessity under section 13-A or 13-B for  
any nuclear power plant within this State, the com-  
mission shall notify the Secretary of State. No such  
certificate may be effective until 30 days after sub-  
mission to the voters, as prescribed in section 3382.

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 513, L.D. 1537

1 Construction shall not commence on any such plant  
2 without approval by the voters, as prescribed in  
3 section 3382.

4 STATEMENT OF FACT

5 This amendment simplifies the findings to focus  
6 on the economic issues.

7 This amendment clarifies that Public Utilities  
8 Commission review is to precede the referendum.

9 This amendment rephrases the referendum question  
10 more clearly.

11 This amendment also provides for notice to the  
12 Secretary of State from the Public Utilities Commis-  
13 sion when a certificate of public convenience and  
14 necessity has been issued.

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