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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative MAYO of Thomaston.

Cosponsored by Representative JOSEPH of Waterville, Representative GRAHAM of Houlton and Representative MURPHY of Berwick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

An Act to Amend the Laws Affecting the Operations of the Bureau of Corporations, Elections and Commissions.

| | Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: |
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| 2 | 3 MRSA §321, sub-§§5 to 7 are enacted to read: |
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| | 5. Rule-making authority. The power to adopt rules in |
| б | accordance with the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, Title 5, |
| | <u>chapter 375;</u> |
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| | 6. Acceptance or rejection of forms. The power to |
| 10 | prescribe forms for all documents required or permitted to be |
| | filed with the Secretary of State and to refuse documents not |
| 12 | filed on those forms; and |
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| 14 | 7. Refusal of filing. The power to refuse any document for |
| | filing that is not legible or that may not be clearly reproduced |
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| 16 | <u>photographically.</u> |
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| | STATEMENT OF FACT |
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| | This bill expressly grants the Secretary of State authority |
| 22 | to adopt rules regarding the registration of lobbyists and |
| | regulation of lobbying activities in the State. |
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