

L.D. 559

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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 116TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 167, L.D. 559, Bill, "An 14 Act to Impose Term Limits on Presiding Officers of the Legislature"

Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 1 and 2 and 18 inserting in their place the following:

20 'Sec. 1. 3 MRSA §21-A is enacted to read:

22 <u>§21-A. President of Senate; term limitation</u>

24 <u>A person may not serve as President of the Senate for more</u> than 3 consecutive legislative bienniums. Service in that 26 <u>capacity before December 2, 1992 is not included in the</u> <u>calculation of years served.</u>

Sec. 2. 3 MRSA §41-A is enacted to read:

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<u>§41-A.</u> Speaker of House of Representatives; term limitation

32 <u>A person may not serve as Speaker of the House of</u> 34 <u>Representatives for more than 3 consecutive legislative</u> <u>bienniums. Service in that capacity before December 2, 1992 is</u> 36 <u>not included in the calculation of years served.</u>'

STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment limits to 3 consecutive legislative bienniums the time a Legislator may serve as President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Reported by the Majority for the Committee on State and Local Government. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12. (5/13/93) (Filing No. S-141)

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