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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
120TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT " " to S.P. 1, "Joint Order Adopting the 120th Joint Rules"

Amend the Joint Order by striking out all of Joint Rule 303 and inserting in its place the following:

'Rule 303. Committee Clerks.

1. Until February 1, 2001, the hiring of all committee clerks must be mutually agreeable to both the Senate and House chairs. If not agreeable to both, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House shall decide. Until February 1, 2001, committee clerks serve at the pleasure of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House.

2. Beginning February 1, 2001, committee clerks must be hired by the Legislative Information Office under the authority of the Legislative Council. On February 1, 2001, committee clerks hired under section 1 become employees within the Legislative Information Office under the authority of the Legislative Council. Vacancies in positions originally filled under section 1 must be filled in accordance with this section.

3. Employment of the committee clerks terminates no later than the end of session.'

Further amend the Joint Order to renumber any duplicate Rule or section numbers to read alphanumerically.

HOUSE AMENDMENT

SUMMARY

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4 This amendment requires that beginning February 1, 2001,
6 committee clerks be hired by the Legislative Information Office
8 under the authority of the Legislative Council, rather than by
committee chairs. Committee clerks hired by committee chairs
prior to February 1, 2001 become employees within the Legislative
Information Office on that date.

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