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**STATE OF MAINE
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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 155, L.D. 204, Bill, "An Act To Protect Dogs That Are Left Outside"

Amend the amendment in section 2 in subsection 6 in paragraph B in the last 3 lines (page 2, lines 26 to 28 in amendment) by striking out the following: "at least 2.5 times the length of the dog measured from the tip of its nose to the base of its tail." and inserting in its place the following: ':'

Further amend the amendment in section 2 in subsection 6 by inserting after paragraph B and before the blocked paragraph the following:

'(1) At least 2.5 times the length of the dog measured from the tip of its nose to the base of its tail if the anchor is stationary; or

(2) At least 1.5 times the length of the dog measured from the tip of its nose to the base of its tail if the anchor is a pivot point allowing a 360° area of movement.'

SUMMARY

The amendment requires a chain or tether for arctic breeds to be at least 2.5 times the length of the dog if the anchor is stationary and 1.5 times the length of the dog if the anchor is a pivot point allowing a 360° area of movement.

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