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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 25, L.D. 27, Bill, "An Act To Enable 9 10 the Town of Livermore Falls To Withdraw from Androscoggin County and Join Franklin 11 County"

Amend the bill in section 6 in the 3rd paragraph in the last 2 lines (page 1, lines 34 and 35 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "at an election in Franklin County" and inserting the following: 'and to the legal voters of Androscoggin County at elections in Franklin County and Androscoggin County'

Amend the bill in section 6 in the 4th paragraph in the first line (page 1, line 36 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "County Clerk" the following: 'and Androscoggin County Clerk'

19 Amend the bill in section 6 in the 6th paragraph in the 2nd line (page 2, line 6 in 20 L.D.) by striking out the following: "Franklin County" and inserting the following: 'both 21 Franklin County and Androscoggin County'

22 Amend the bill in section ϵ in the 6th paragraph in the last line (page 2, line 8 in 23 L.D.) by striking out the following: "the county" and inserting the following: 'each of the 24 counties'

25 Amend the bill in section 6 in the 7th paragraph in the last line (page 2, line 11 in 26 L.D.) by inserting after the following: "State." the following: 'The result of the vote in 27 Androscoggin County must be declared by the commissioners of Androscoggin County 28 and due certificate must be filed by the county clerk with the Secretary of State.'

29 Amend the bill in section 6 in the last paragraph in the first line (page 2, line 12 in 30 L.D.) by inserting after the following: "County" the following: 'and Androscoggin County'

SUMMARY

33 This amendment provides that Androscoggin County, as well as Franklin County, 34 must vote on the annexation of the Town of Livermore Falls by Franklin County. The 35 municipality petitioning to secede, Livermore Falls, bears the expense of the 2

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countywide referenda as provided in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, section 2178.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED (See attached)

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Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment 'A' (H-503) Committee: State and Local Government Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

State Mandate - Unfunded

State Mandates

Required ActivityUnit AffectedLocal CostHold a referendum vote in Livermore Falls and potentially subsequent refendumMunicipalityModeratevotes in Franklin and Androscoggin counties.Countylimited scope

The required local activities in this bill may represent a State mandate pursuant to the Constitution of Maine. Unless General Fund appropriations are provided to fund at least 90% of the additional costs or a Mandate Preamble is amended to the bill and two-thirds of the members of each House vote to exempt this mandate from the funding requirement, municipalities may not be required to implement these changes.