

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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State of Maine



Department of the Secretary of State

I, the Secretary of State of Maine, certify that according to the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Maine, the Department of the Secretary of State is the legal custodian of the Great Seal of the State of Maine which is hereunto affixed and that the paper to which this is attached is a true copy from the records of this Department.



In Testimony Whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State of Maine to be hereunto affixed. Given under my hand at Augusta, Maine, November 28, 2006.


MATTHEW DUNLAP
SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MAINE

Office of the Secretary of State

November 27, 2006

I, MATTHEW DUNLAP, Secretary of State, in accordance with Title 21-A MRSA, Section 722, having tabulated the returns of the votes cast at the Referendum Election held on November 7, 2006, on the following CITIZEN INITIATIVE AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT,

REPORT AS FOLLOWS:

Question 1: CITIZEN INITIATIVE

Do you want to limit increases in state and local government spending to the rate of inflation plus population growth and to require voter approval for all tax and fee increases?

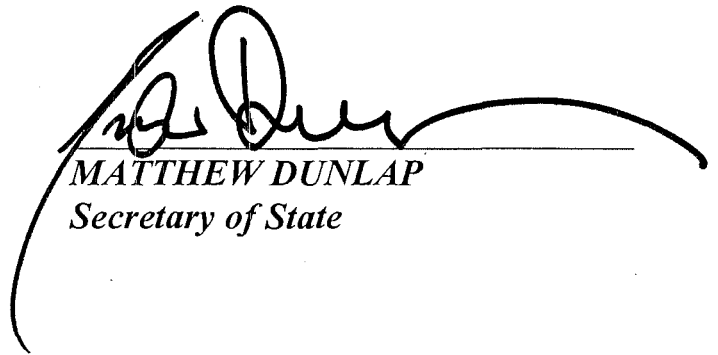
Number of Votes in Favor	247,175
Number of Votes Opposed	288,971

Question 2: CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Do you favor amending the Constitution of Maine to state that a citizens' initiative or people's veto petition must be submitted to local or state officials by the constitutional deadline in order to be certified and, in the case of a citizens' initiative, must be filed with the Secretary of State within 18 months?

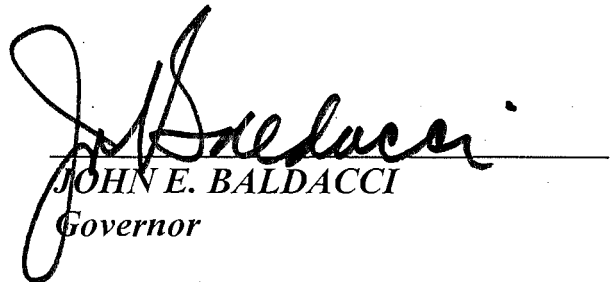
Number of Votes in Favor	270,922
Number of Votes Opposed	229,749

I, MATTHEW DUNLAP, Secretary of State, hereby certify that the foregoing report is a true tabulation of the votes cast at the Referendum Election, as reported to me on the returns from the cities, towns and plantations of the State.



MATTHEW DUNLAP
Secretary of State

Received by the Governor



JOHN E. BALDACCI
Governor