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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 552, L.D. 767, Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the Phippsburg Cemetery District."

Amend said Bill by inserting after the Title and before the enacting clause the following Emergency Preamble:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, owning, maintaining and operating a cemetery by a municipality is a matter of public interest and welfare; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to permit the voters of the Town of Phippsburg to approve, as soon as possible, the incorporation of the Phippsburg Cemetery District; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend said Bill, in section 4, by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the following:

'In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Town of Phippsburg present and voting at a special election to be called by the selectmen of the Town of Phippsburg and held not later than 4 months after the effective date of this act.'

Further amend said Bill in the next to last paragraph of section 4 by striking out the figure "20%" and inserting in place thereof the figure '10%'

Reported by the Committee on Public Utilities.

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