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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 101st LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 603, L.D. 838, Bill, "An Act to Grant a Council Manager Charter to the City of Lewiston."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of sections 1 and 2 of Article IV and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 1. Composition. A board of education is created in said city, to consist of 3 duly qualified voters of Lewiston, who shall be nominated and elected from the city at large according to Article V for a term of 3 years, and who shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified; except that at the first election after this charter becomes effective, the member-elect who receives the largest vote cast shall serve for 3 years, the member-elect who receives the next largest vote cast shall serve for 2 years and the member-elect who receives the next largest vote cast shall serve for 1 year.

Sec. 2. Vacancy. If for any reason a vacancy shall exist in the membership of the board of education, it shall be filled by a majority vote of the council until the next municipal election, when a new member shall be elected to fill the unexpired term, if any.

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of the last sentence of section 3 of Article IV and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:

'The members shall not be members of the city council.'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 of Article VI by inserting after subparagraph 1 of paragraph (B) the following:

'1-A. Chief of the police department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 3rd line of section 1 of Article VIII the figure "1" and inserting in place thereof the figure '2'

Further amend said Bill in section 4 of Article III by striking out the figure "\$2,500" and inserting in place thereof the figure '\$3,500'

Reported by 2 Members from the Committee on Municipal Affairs (Report C)

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