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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1141, L. D. 1612, Resolve, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Clarifying Procedure for Delivering Election Returns to the Secretary of State by Municipalities.

Amend said Resolve by adding after the word "Municipalities" in the Title, the following words 'and Relating to Representative Districts in Apportionment of the House of Representatives'

Further amend said Resolve by inserting before the Form of Question, the following:

"Constitution, Article IV, Part First, Section 3, amended.

The last sentence of the first paragraph of section 3 of Part First of Article IV of the Constitution, as repealed and replaced by Article LXXXVIII, is amended to read as follows:

'Cities and towns entitled to two or more Representatives under the foregoing procedure may, by affirmative vote of ~~two thirds~~ of both Houses of the Legislature, be organized into single member districts whereby each legally qualified elector therein is entitled to vote for only one Representative, provided that all such cities and towns are so organized.' "

Further amend said Resolve, in the Form of Question, by striking out in the headnote the underlined word "question" and inserting in place thereof the underlined word 'questions'; and by striking out in the 10th and 15th lines the word "question" and inserting in place thereof the word 'questions'

Further amend said Resolve, in the Form of Question, by inserting after the first question, the following:

' "Shall the Constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature relating to representative districts in the apportionment of the House of Representatives?" '

Further amend said Resolve, in the Form of Question, by striking out in the 22nd line the words "the question" and inserting in place thereof the words 'each of the questions'; and by inserting before the word "amendments" in the 23rd line the word 'respective'.

Proposed by Senator FARRIS of KENNEBEC

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