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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
102nd LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 6, L.D. 6, Resolve, Proposing
an Amendment to the Constitution to Abolish the
Council and Make Changes in the Matter of Gubernatorial
Appointments and Their Confirmation.

Amend said Resolve by striking out all of the 6th
paragraph designated "Section 8" and inserting in place
thereof the following:

"Section 8. To nominate officers. He shall nominate,
and, with the advice and consent of the ~~council~~ Senate,
appoint all judicial officers (except judges of probate),
~~deaners, and notaries public; and he shall also nominate,~~
~~and with the advice and consent of the council, appoint~~ all
other civil and military officers, whose appointment is not
by this Constitution, or shall not by law be otherwise
provided for ~~except the land agent, and every such nomination~~
~~shall be made seven days, at least, prior to such appointment.~~"

Further amend said Resolve by inserting after the
8th paragraph, the following:

"Constitution, Article V, Part First, Section 13,
amended. Section 13 of Part First of Article V of the
Constitution is amended by adding at the end thereof, the
following paragraph:

"The Governor may convene the Senate for the sole
purpose of confirming his appointments."

Further amend said Resolve by inserting at the end
of the 5th paragraph from the end the following:

'; and be it further

Resolved: That the effective date of this Resolve
shall be January 1, 1967.'

Reported by a Majority of the Committee on State Government.

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