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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 453, L. D. 1132, Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of Wilderness Area Under State Park and Recreation Laws."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, §601, sub-§2, ¶E, additional. Subsection 2 of section 601 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new paragraph E, to read as follows:

E. Any wilderness or natural area shall mean:

(1) Any area of land largely in a natural condition and containing natural features of scenic, ecological or scientific interest or importance. The presence of man-made development shall not preclude an area from this classification if such developments either are not likely to remain or leave a permanent mark upon the natural character of the area, or if they are essential to the operation of the area as a wilderness or natural area, or both, and detract minimally from its natural character.'

Reported by the Committee on INDUSTRIAL AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT.

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