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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H.P. 1334, L.D. 1663, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Jurisdiction of Probate Courts in Adoption Cases."

Amend said Bill in that part designated "§531." by striking out all of the last 3 sentences (same in L.D.) and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Jurisdiction to grant such adoption and change of name shall be in the county where the person to be adopted lives or the county where the petitioner resides or the petitioners reside or in the county in which the placing agency to which the person to be adopted was duly surrendered and released is located. The consent of the natural parents shall not be required for the adoption of any person 20 years of age, or over.'

Reported by the Committee on Judiciary.

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