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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 104th LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1339, L. D. 1668, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Eligibility of Bangor City Councilors for Certain City Government Offices."

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

'Emergency clause; referendum; effective date. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the City of Bangor at the next regular city election to be held on October 12, 1970 or at a special election to be called and held for the purpose within 3 months after approval of this Act. Such special election shall be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections; provided, however, that the board of registration in said City of Bangor shall not be required to prepare, nor the city clerk to post, a new list of voters.

The city clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this Act to the following question: "Shall the Act Relating to Eligibility of Bangor City Councilors for Certain City Government Offices, passed by the First Special Session of the 104th Legislature, be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

(Feling Mo. H- 632)

This Act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority vote of the legal voters voting at said election; provided that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this Act at said election equaled or exceeded 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said city at the next preceding gubernatorial election.

The result of such election shall be declared by the municipal officers of the City of Bangor and due certificate thereof shall be filed by the city clerk with the Secretary of State.'

Filed by Mr. Kelleher of Bangor.

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