

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 105TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 13, L. D. 41, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Legislative Counsel or Agents."

Amend said Bill in the Title by inserting after the word "Agents" and before the period the words 'and Members of the Legislature'

Further amend said Bill by inserting at the end of section 1, the following:

"Sec. 2. R. S., T. 3, § 5, additional. Title 3 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 5 to read as follows:

§ 5. Income

It shall be the duty of every legislator to file a statement in the office of the Secretary of State within 30 days after the convening of the Legislature showing the legislator's annual gross income for the preceding year and the sources thereof.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to require the disclosure of each legislator's income and the sources from which it is derived so that the voters of the State of Maine may have, as a matter of public record, a source that they may utilize in ascertaining what interest a legislator may have in matters before the Legislature.

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