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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Orestis of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT to Correct an Ambiguity in Procedure for Recording Municipal Charters and Amendments.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., T. 30, § 1916, repealed and replaced. Section 1916 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 563 of the public laws of 1969, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

§ 1916. Recording

Within 3 days after the results of the election have been declared, the municipal clerk shall prepare and sign triplicate certificates setting forth any charter that has been adopted or revised and any charter amendment approved. One certificate shall be recorded in the office of the Secretary of State, one certificate shall be deposited in the law section of the Maine State Library and one certificate shall be deposited in the office of the municipal clerk.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The Legislature finds that there is an ambiguity concerning the recording of home rule certificates in the present law and intends, by this Act, to correct said ambiguity.