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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to S. P. 173, L.D. 428, Bill, "AN ACT Regulating Water Well Construction and Pump Installation."

Amend said Bill by striking out in the Title the words "and Pump Installation"

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first line after the enacting clause, the underlined abbreviation and figure "Sec. 1."

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 5th line of section 1 (4th line of L.D.) the underlined words "AND PUMP IN-STALLATION"

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd line of that part designated "<u>§4851</u>" (same in L.D.) the following underlined words "and Pump Installation"

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 6th line of that (5th line of L.D.)

part designated "§4852," /after the underlined word "of"

the following underlined words: 'deep well'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in that part designated "<u>\$4852</u>" all of the 7th and 8th lines (6th and 7th lines of L.D.) and inserting in place thereof the following:

'2. Department. "Department" means the Department of Health and Welfare.'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the last line of subsection 5 of that part designated "§4852." of section 1 (same in L.D.) before the underlined word "well" the underlined word 'deep'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the last line of subsection 6 of that part designated "4852" of section 1 (same in L.D.) before the underlined word water the underlined word 'deep' (filing Mo-H-257)

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first and 2nd lines of subsection 7 of that part designated "§4852." of section 1 (first line of L.D) the underlined words "by any method"

Further amend said Bill by striking out in subsection 2 of that part designated"§4853" of section 1 all the words after the word "leases" in the 3rd line (same in L.D.) and before the period.

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated "<u>§4854.</u>" by striking out in the first line the words "<u>Water Well Drilling Commission</u>" and inserting in place thereof the following: '<u>Procedures'</u>

Further amend said Bill in that part of section 1 designated "4854." by striking out all of the first paragraph and subsections 1 and 6

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first line of subsection 2 of that part designated "§4854." of section 1, the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof, the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first line (same in I.D.) of subsection 3 of that part designated "§4854." of section 1, the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof, the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first, 3rd, 6th and 7th lines (first, 3rd, 4th and 5th of L.D.) of subsection 4 of that part designated "§4854." of section 1, the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first, 9th, 11th,

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13th and 15th lines of subsection 5 of that part designated

"4854." (first, 6th, 8th, 10th and 11th lines of L.D.) of section

1, the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by renumbering in that part designated "<u>§4854.</u>" of section 1, subsections 2, 3, 4 and 5 to be subsections 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of that part of section 1 designated "<u>§4855.</u>" and inserting in place thereof, the following:

'§4855. License required

No deep water wells shall be constructed, enlarged or deepened, and no pumps associated with deep water wells shall be installed except as provided in this chapter, unless done by a well driller or pump installer licensed by the department.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd line of that part designated "4856." of section 1 (same in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Department of Health and Welfare'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 8th line (7th line of L.D.) of that part designated "§4856." of section 1, before the underlined word "water" the underlined word 'deep'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the llth, 12th,24th and 25th lines (8th, 9th, 16th and 17th of L.D.) of that part designated "54856." of section 1, the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

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Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 6th and 7th lines of paragraph B of subsection 1 of that part designated "<u>\$4856.</u>" of section 1 (4th and 5th lines of L.D.) the underlined word "<u>commission</u>" and inserting in place thereof, the following: 'Department of Health and Welfare'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 6th line of subparagraph (2) of paragraph B of subsection 1 of that part designated "<u>\$4856.</u>" of section 1 (first underlined word "commission" in the 4th line of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 7th line of subparagraph (2) of paragraph B of subsection 1 of that part designated "§4856." of section 1 (2nd underlined word "commission" in the 4th line of L.D.) the word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Department of Health and Welfare'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 3rd line of subparagraph (3) of paragraph B of subsection 1 of that part designated "4856." of section 1 (2nd line of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 8th line of subparagraph (3) of paragraph B of subsection 1 of that part designated "4856." of section 1 (5th line of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Department of Health and Welfare'

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Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd and 6th lines of paragraph C of subsection 1 of that part designated "§4856," of section 1 (first and 4th lines of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first line of subsection 2 of that part designated "§4856." of section 1 (same in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first line of subsection 3 of that part designated "§4856." of section 1 (same in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 4th line of subsection 4 of that part designated "§4856." of section 1 (3rd line in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd line of paragraph C of subsection 4 of that part designated "§4856." of section 1 (same in L.D.) the word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

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Further amend said Bill by striking out in the first and 2nd lines of that part designated "§4857." of section 1 (first line of L.D.) the underlined words "secretary of the commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 3rd, 5th, 9th and 13th lines of that part designated "§4857." of section 1 (3rd, 4th, 8th and 11th lines of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 3rd line of that part designated "<u>\$4858.</u>" of section 1 (same in L.D.) after the underlined word "<u>constructing</u>" the underlined word '<u>deep</u>'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 4th line of that part designated "§4858." of section 1 (same in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Department of Health and Welfare'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 7th and 10th lines of that part designated "§4858." of section 1 (6th and 8th lines of L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 5th line of subsection 2 that part designated "§4858." of section 1 (3rd and 4th lines in L.D.) the underlined words "Maine Geological Survey" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

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Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 6th, 8th and 10th lines of subsection 2 of that part designated "<u>\$4858.</u>" of section 1 (4th, 5th and 7th lines of L.D.) the underlined word "<u>commission</u>" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out the following 3 words of the last sentence of subsection 2 of that part designated "§4858." of section 1 "Maine Geological Survey" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by striking out in the 2nd line of subsection 3 of that part designated "§4858." of section la (same in L.D.) the underlined word "commission" and inserting in place thereof the following: 'department'

Further amend said Bill by inserting in the 3rd line of that part designated "4859." of section 1 (same in L.D.) before the underlined word "wells" the underlined word 'deep'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of section 2.

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to remove "pump installation" from the bill and to direct the responsibility to the Department of Health and Welfare rather than to a Commission on Water Well Drilling.

Filed by Mr. Dyar of Strong.

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