

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 106TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 473, L.D. 620, Bill, "AN ACT Establishing the Lewiston-Auburn Airport Authority."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting in place thereof the following: Acquisition of property; right of eminent domain.

'Sec. 2./ Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as authorizing said Authority to take by right of eminent domain any of the property or facilities of any other public service corporation or district used or acquired for future use by the owner thereof in the performance of a public duty, unless expressly authorized thereto in this Act or by subsequent Act of the Legislature.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of sections 3 and 4.

Further amend said Bill by renumbering sections 5 to 14 to be 3 to 12.

Statement of Fact

This amendment would exempt the taking of the property of a public service corporation by a public authority without express legislative authorization. Such a provision is customary in bills of this type.

Reported by the Committee on Legal Affairs.

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