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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
106TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1276, L.D. 1748, Bill,
"AN ACT Establishing the Aroostook-Prestile Treatment District."

Amend said Bill in section 5 by striking out in the 15th
of the 2nd paragraph
line (14th line of L.D.)/the word "shall" and inserting in
place thereof the following: 'may'

Further amend said Bill in section 5 by inserting in the
after the word "board"
2nd line of the 3rd paragraph (same in L.D.) the following:
'pursuant to this Act'

Statement of Fact

1. The word "shall" is changed to "may" in section 5, paragraph 2, line 14 to make clear that the Board of Environmental Protection is not required to permit a water transfer but will only do so if the request meets the standards established in the law.

2. The words "pursuant to this Act" are added to section 5 paragraph 3, line 2 in order that everyone clearly understands that any appeal allowed by this section is confined to discretion of this Act. The existing language is so general that someone may mistake it to apply to any decision of the board.

Reported by the Committee on Public Utilities.

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