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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
106TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT " B " to S.P. 678, L.D. 2044, Bill, "AN ACT to Correct Errors and Inconsistencies in the Public Laws."

Amend said Bill by inserting after section 63 the following:

'Sec. 63-A. R.S., T. 12, § 683, amended. Section 683 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 494 of the public laws of 1969 and as last amended by section 13 of chapter 460 of the public laws of 1973, is further amended to read as follows:

§ 683. Creation of Maine Land Use Regulation Commission

To carry out the purposes stated in section 681 there is created, within the Department of Conservation, the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission, hereafter hereinafter in this chapter called the "commission." The commission is charged with implementing this chapter in all of the unorganized and deorganized areas of the State. The commission shall consist of 4 permanent members: The Director of the Bureau of Parks and Recreation, the Director of the Bureau of Forestry, the State Planning Director, and the Commissioner of the Department of Conservation, or their designated alternates permanently designated by each of them; and 4 members serving staggered 4-year terms to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council. ~~The latter 4 members shall respectively represent the public, conservation interests, forest products industry interests and general landowner interests.~~ The latter 4 members shall respectively be 2 members representing the public, one member representing conservation interests and one member representing industry interests. The One of the initial appointee appointees to the commission representing the

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public shall be appointed for a ~~one-year period~~; ~~the~~ initial appointee representing conservation interests shall be appointed for a 2-year period; the initial appointee representing the ~~forest-products~~ industry interests shall be appointed for a 3-year period; and the 2nd initial appointee representing ~~general-landowner-interests~~ the public shall be appointed for a 4-year period. Thereafter said appointee shall be appointed to serve 4-year terms.

Sec. 63-B. Effective date. Section 63-A shall become effective 91 days after adjournment of the Legislature.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide a more balanced membership on the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission.

Filed by Mr. Palmer of Nobleboro.

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