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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FOUR

AN ACT Changing the Membership of the Legislative Ethics Committee.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 3, § 381, sub-§§ 1 - 2, repealed and replaced. Subsections 1 and 2 of section 381 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 146 of the public laws of 1971, are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

1. **Membership.** The Committee on Legislative Ethics shall consist of 4 members of the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate and 4 members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. No more than 2 of the appointees of the President and Speaker, respectively, shall be members of the same political party. The members of the committee shall be appointed at the commencement of each Legislature and shall serve until the succeeding Legislature is convened.

2. **Chairmanship.** The chairman shall be elected by the members of the committee.

Sec. 2. Effective date. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 1975.