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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
107TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1041, L.D. 1331, Bill,
"AN ACT to Change the Participation of Employees in the
Classified Service in Political Campaigns."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of the Title and
inserting in place thereof the following:

'AN ACT to Guarantee to all State Employees the Right to
Participate in the Nonpartisan Affairs of Municipalities.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out everything after
the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the
following:

'5 MRSA §14 is enacted to read:

§14. Participation in nonpartisan affairs

No officer or employee of this State shall directly or in-
directly interfere with the participation of any employee of
this State in the nonpartisan affairs of any municipality or
other political subdivision of this State provided that no
conflict of interest results.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to delete those portions of
the bill relating to political activities of state employees and
to guarantee freedom to participate in nonpartisan community
affairs for all state employees.

Reported by the Committee on State Government.

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the House.
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