

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT" \hat{A} " to H.P. 1165, L.D. 1464, Bill, "AN ACT Authorizing the County Commissioners of the Various Counties to Expend Funds for the Purchase of Real Estate."

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

'30 MRSA §305 is enacted to read:

§305. Purchasing of real estate

The county commissioners of all counties may expend county funds for the purpose of purchasing real estate for county purposes, including the purchasing of real estate from the Federal Government which is deemed necessary for county purposes. The county commissioners may obtain loans as provided under section 404 for the purpose of purchasing such property.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to limit purchases of property to purchase of real estate and to allow borrowing to finance such purchases, subject to the referendum requirements for other county borrowing.

Reported by the Committee on Local and County Government.

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