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HOUSE AMENDMENT "D" to H.P. 1997, L.D. 2197, Bill,
"AN ACT Redistributing the Powers of the Executive Council."

Amend said Bill by inserting after section 87 the
following:

'Sec. 87-A. 5 MRSA §3351, first ¶, as enacted by PL 1969,
c. 465 and as last amended by PL 1975, c. 425, §3, is further
amended to read:

The agency shall have no less than 12 nor more than 30
members ~~appointed by the Governor~~, including, ex officio, the
Attorney General, the Chief of the Maine State Police, the
Director of the Bureau of Corrections of the Department of
Mental Health and Corrections, the State Planning Director,
the Chairmen of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary
and the Chief Medical Examiner. The remaining members shall
be appointed by the Governor, subject to review by the Joint
Standing Committee on Judiciary and to confirmation by the
Judiciary Committee.

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to require legislative
information of the members of the Law Enforcement Planning and
Assistance Agency, other than the ex officio members. These
members are now appointed by the Governor without Executive
Council approval.

Filed by Mr. Peterson of Windham.

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