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## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FIRST SPECIAL SESSION 107TH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "G" to H.P. 1997, L.D. 219/, Bill, "AN ACT Redistributing the Powers of the Executive Council."

Amend said Bill by inserting after Section 231 a new section 231-A to read:

'Sec. 231-A. 22 MRSA § 5108, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 293, §4, is amended to read:

§ 5108. Committee

There shall be, within the Department of

Human Services, the Maine Committee on Aging which shall consist

of 15 members, who shall be appointed by the Governor with-the-adice-and-consent-of-the-Executive-Council, subject to review by

the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Institutional Services
and to confirmation by the Legislature.

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of section 233 and inserting in place thereof:

'Sec. 233. 22 MRSA §5314, first ¶, first sentence, as enacted by P.L. 1973, c.793, §12, is amended to read:

The council shall consist of no more than 17 members who, excepting members representing the Legislature, shall be appointed by the Governor with—the—advice—and—consent—of the Executive Council, subject to review by the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Institutional Services and to confirmation by the Legislature.'

## Statement of Fact

The first part of the amendment corrects an error in the bill by inserting a provision relating to the appointment of the Maine Committee on Aging. The amendment makes appointments to the committee subject to legislative confirmation.

The second part amends the section on appointment of members of the Maine Human Services Council. It makes such appointments subject to legislative confirmation.

Filed by Mrs. Goodwin of Bath.

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