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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 107TH LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "C" to H.P. 2263, L.D. 2335, Bill,
"AN ACT to Allow County Budget Determination at the County Level."

Amend said Bill in section 5 in that part designated "§253-A." by inserting in the 3rd line of subsection 2 (4th line of L.D.) after the underlined word and punctuation "year," the underlined word 'or'

Further amend said Bill in section 5 in that part designated "§253-A." by striking out in the 5th and 6th line (same in L.D.) of subsection 2 the underlined words and punctuation ", or if the purpose is included under subsection 3"

Further amend said Bill in section 5 in that part designated "§253-A." by striking out all of subsection 3.

Statement of Fact

This amendment deletes a redundant and conflicting provision in the Bill. Section 253-A (1) (F) (2) of the Bill allows expenditures for operations authorized by law. Section 253-A (2) limits those expenditures to those purposes where money was appropriated in the previous fiscal year unless the voters approve an expenditure for those purposes by referendum. The last phrase of section 253-A (2) along with section 253-A (3) effectively negates that limitation because many of the operational powers both enumerated and not enumerated in the Bill are found in other statutes.

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