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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-4)
108TH LEGISLATURE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H.P. 57, L.D. 78, Bill, "AN ACT
Pertaining to Issuance of Marriage Licenses."

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

'19. MRSA §62, 4th sentence from the end is repealed and
the following enacted in its place:

No certificate shall be issued to a person under 16 years of age
without the written consent of that minor's parents, guardians
or persons to whom a court has given custody of that minor first
presented, if the minor has any living, and without that clerk,
having notified the Judge of Probate in the county in which
the minor resides of the filing of these intentions, and having
received in writing the consent from the judge to issue the
certificate. If no written consent from the judge has been
received by the 10th day from the filing of notice of intentions
of marriage, consent shall be deemed to have been received,
and the clerk shall issue the certificate. The Judge of Probate
may, in the interest of public welfare, order that no such certifica
shall be issued.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify the language of the bill and remove a meaningless section.

Reported by the Committee on Legal Affairs.

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