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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 108TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 187, L.D. 249, Bill, "AN ACT to Establish a Presidential Primary in the State of Maine."

Amend the Bill in that part designated "§472." by striking out all of subsection 1 and by renumbering subsections 2 and 3 to be subsections 1 and 2.

Further amend the Bill in that part designated "§475." in subsection 2 by striking out all of paragraphs A, B and C and inserting in their place the following:

'A. Persons who the Secretary of State determines should be placed on the ballot in accordance with this section may have their names withdrawn from the ballot by filing with the Secretary of State an affidavit by which the person designated swears under oath that the person requests that his name be omitted from the ballot.

In order to remove a person's name from the ballot, the affidavit shall be received by the Secretary of State at least 45 days prior to the date designated for the presidential primary election.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment provides for placement of names on the ballot by petition.

Filed by Ms. Benoit of South Portland.

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