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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 981, L. D. 1187, Bill,
"AN ACT Concerning Sound Media Near Voting Places on Election
Day."

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

'21 MRSA §892, sub-§3, 1st¶ is amended to read:

A person shall not display any advertising material or
operate any advertising medium, including a sound amplification
device, intended to influence the opinion of any voter, within
250 feet of the entrance to the voting place. The term "sound
amplification device" includes, but is not limited to, sound
trucks, loudspeakers and blowhorns.'

Statement of Fact

The amendment fits the restriction on sound amplification
devices into the existing statute restricting advertising
at or near the voting place on election day.

Reported by the Committee on Election Laws.

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