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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1102, L.D. 1326, Bill, "AN ACT to Repeal Certain Laws Relating to Defense and Veterans Services."

Amend the bill by inserting after the enacting clause the following:

'Sec. 1. 3 MRSA §313, as reenacted by PL 1975, c. 724, is amended to read:

§313. Registration of lobbyists and employers

Any person acting as a lobbyist and the person who employs that lobbyist shall jointly register at the office of the Secretary of State no later than 2 7 business days after the commencement of activities constituting lobbying and a fee, as determined by the Secretary of State, shall be paid for such joint registration.'

Further amend the bill by renumbering sections 1 to 3 to be sections 2 to 4.

Statement of Fact

At present, any person accepting employment as a lobbyist or employing a lobbyist has 2 business days in which to register with the Secretary of State. This period is insufficient to allow necessary papers and signatures to move through the mails to Augusta. This bill extends this time period from 2 business days to 7 business days.

(Pray)

Name: 

County: Penobscot

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