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STATE OF MAINE
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SENATE AMENDMENT " D" to S.P. 508, L.D. 1793, Bill, "AN ACT to Revise the Water Quality Program."

Amend the Bill by adding at the end before the statement of fact the following:

'Sec. 36. 38 MRSA §417, as last amended by PL 1973, c. 450, §17, is further amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

This section shall not apply to solid waste disposal facilities in operation on July 1, 1977, owned by a municipality or quasi-municipal authority if the operation and maintenance of the facility has been or is approved by the Board of Environmental Protection pursuant to the requirements of chapter 13 and the regulations adopted thereunder.'

Title 38.

Statement of Fact

/section 417 prohibits the placement of refuse in waters of the State. This amendment removes this outright prohibition for existing municipal dumps only, provided the operation and maintenance of the dump is approved by the Board of Environmental Protection in accordance with the Solid Waste Management Act.

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