

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

(Filing No. H-917)

HOUSE AMENDMENT "L" to S.P. 590, L.D. 1896, Bill, "AN ACT to Make Additional Corrections of Errors and Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine."

Amend the Bill by inserting after section 116 the following:

'Sec. 116-A. 30 MRSA §4552, sub-§18, 1st sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 625, §4, is amended to read:

"Mortgage loan" shall mean an interest-bearing obligation secured by a mortgage or note constituting a first lien on land and improvements in the State constituting one-family or-multi-family-housing-units,-or-a-housing-project,-and

esidential housing or a housing project, including, but not limited to, such improvements located on an Indian reservation in this State.'

Further amend the Bill by inserting after section 118 the following:

'Sec. 118-A. 30 MRSA §4756, 1st sentence, as amended by PL 1973, c. 625, §205, is further amended to read:

The state authority shall have the power to purchase or to make commitments to purchase from banks, life insurance companies, savings and loan associations, the Federal Government and other financial institutions lawfully doing business in he State of Maine, the interest bearing obligations secured HOUSE AMENDMENT "-" to S.P. 590, L.D. 1896

by mortgages and notes which are a first lien on land and improvements in Maine constituting one-family-or-multi-family units residential housing or a housing project, except that an obligation shall not be eligible for purchase by the state housing authority if the date of said obligation is prior to October 1, 1969.

Sec. <u>118-B</u>. /<u>30 MRSA §4756</u>, last ¶, lst sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 625, §19, is amended to read:

Improvements constituting one-family-or-multi-family units residential housing or a housing project shall include but not be limited to housing-projects-and improvements located on an Indian reservation in this State.

Sec. 118-C. /30 MRSA \$4760, 1st sentence, as amended by PL 1973, c. 517, \$3, is further amended to read:

The state authority may authorize the issuance of revenue bonds of the authority in the manner and as provided in section 4751 for any of its authorized purposes including the purchase of first mortgage loans or evidences thereof, for residential housing <u>or a housing project</u> in the State of Maine from the financial institutions and other agencies specified in section 4756.

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Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify the Maine Housing Authority law relating to one-family and multi-family units and housing projects.

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