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HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P.
1921, L.D. 1982, Bill, "AN ACT Clarifying the Statutes Relating
to Municipalities."

Amend the Amendment by striking out all of the first
underlined paragraph of that part designated "§101." of
section 2 and inserting in its place the following:

'The municipal officers of cities and towns and the
assessors of plantations, upon receipt of a petition signed
by at least 15% of the voters voting in that municipality in
the last gubernatorial election and addressed to the municipal
officers, as defined in Title 30, section 1901, subsection 7,
at least 21 days prior to holding any primary, special statewide
or general election, are empowered and directed to notify
the inhabitants of their respective municipalities to meet,
in the manner prescribed by law, to vote upon any one or all
of the following questions.'

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Statement of Fact

This amendment will provide that the voting for local option questions will be conducted at primary, special statewide or general elections. It is to be noted that this was the desire of the Legislature in June of 1977 when it enacted chapter 292, the first section of which failed to become law because of procedural problems.

Filed by Mr. Raymond of Lewiston.

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