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SENATE 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 under-
lined 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 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.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment will provide that the voting for local
option questions will be conducted at 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.

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