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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 69

H. P. 56

House of Representatives, January 6, 1981

Referred to the Committee on Election Laws. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Berube of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

AN ACT Concerning the Inspection of Ballots on Municipal Questions.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

30 MRSA § 2065 is amended to read:

§ 2065. Referendum ballot inspection and recount procedure

Upon written application of ~~10%~~ **10** of the persons whose names were checked on the voting list at any municipal referendum or ballot question under section 2061, a ballot inspection or a recount hearing shall be granted. The time limits, rules and all other matters applying to candidates shall apply equally to applicants for either the inspection or recount.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide for a ballot inspection or recount hearing on any municipal referendum or ballot question upon application of 10 voters.