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L.D. 1301

OF R.

STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
110TH LEGISLATURE (Filing No. S-250)
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 455, L.D. 1301, Bill, "AN ACT to Require Public Hearings Prior to Proposing Exchanges of Public Reserved Lands."

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 30 MRSA §4169, sub-§1-A, next to the last ¶, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 495, §2, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 30 MRSA §4169, sub-§1-B is enacted to read:

1-B. Notice for sales and exchanges. Prior to requesting review and approval, the director shall give notice of the proposed sale or exchange and may hold a public hearing, provided^{that} he shall hold a public hearing if requested by any party. Prior to making any sale or exchange, the director shall make a written finding with respect to the requirements of this section. The written finding shall be available for public inspection at the director's office during regular working hours.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment makes the present public notice requirements for sales of small parcels of land apply to all sales and exchanges of public reserved lands.