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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1523

H. P. 1323

House of Representatives, April 7, 1981

Approved for introduction by a Majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27.

Referred to the Committee on Local and County Government. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Berube of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Require that County Employees be Hired by Merit.

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

30 MRSA § 9 is enacted to read:

§ 9. Hiring by merit

All county employees shall be chosen without reference to party affiliation and solely on the grounds of fitness to perform the duties of office.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to require that county employees be hired without reference to party affiliation, but rather on the basis of fitness for the job.