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L.D. 562

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
111TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 460,
L.D. 562, Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for an Analysis
of the Future of Maine's Forest Resources."

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Amend the Bill by striking out all of sections 2
and 3 and inserting in their place the following:

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'Sec. 2. Steering committee established. There
is a steering committee established, the members of
which are to be selected by a panel consisting of the
Commissioner of Conservation who shall act as chair-
man of the selection panel and shall call the initial
meeting of the steering committee, the Dean of the
College of Forest Resources of the University of
Maine and the Vice-President of the American Forest
Institute. The steering committee shall be composed
of 12 to 15 members who shall be representatives of
all segments of the forestry community and forestry
interests. Steering committee members shall further
be those individuals with knowledge, experience and
interest in the forest resources of the State. The
chairman of the committee shall be selected by the
committee members.

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Sec. 3. Conference and report. The steering
committee, with assistance from the Department of
Conservation, will work to:

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1. Develop the 2nd Blaine House Conference on
Forestry which will focus on the results, interpreta-
tion and impact of the United States Forest Service
study upon the future of Maine's forest resources;
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2. Issue a report containing the proceedings of
the conference, together with any recommendations and
appropriate legislation, to the Second Regular

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 460, L.D. 562

1 Session of the 111th Legislature prior to the ad-
2 journeyment of that session.'

3 STATEMENT OF FACT

4 This amendment recognizes the importance of
5 Maine's forest resources and establishes a steering
6 committee to develop the 2nd Blaine House Conference
7 on Forestry. The conference and subsequent report to
8 the Second Regular Session of the 111th Legislature
9 will coordinate consideration of a recent United
10 States Forest Service study and make recommendations
11 regarding its impact upon the future of the state's
12 forest resources.

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