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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1395, L.D. 1818,  
Bill, "AN ACT to Clarify That Notaries Public who do  
not Maintain a Seal of Office may Take Acknowledgements."

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Amend the bill in the first paragraph after the  
amending clause by striking out all of the last sentence  
(page 2, lines 13 to 24 in L.D.) and inserting  
in its place the following:

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'The seal of such court or the official seal of such  
notary public or commissioner, if he has one, shall  
be affixed to the certificate of acknowledgment, but  
if such acknowledgment is taken outside the State before  
a justice of the peace, notary public not having  
a seal or commissioner, a certificate under seal from  
the secretary of state, or clerk of a court of record  
in the county where the officer resides or took the  
acknowledgment, authenticating the authority of the  
officer taking such acknowledgment and the genuineness  
of his signature, must be annexed thereto.'

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1395, L.D. 1818

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2           The purpose of this amendment is to remove lan-  
3           guage from the bill concerning requirements for for-  
4           eign notories, as the Uniform Recognition of Acknowl-  
5           edgements Act adequately addresses this matter.

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