

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document No. 2022

H.P. 1537 House of Representatives, January 31, 1984

Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.
Reference to the Committee on Election Laws is suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Hobbins of Saco.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Allow State Party Committees
to Establish the Time for Electing their
Officers.

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

21 MRSA §402, sub-§§1 and 3, as amended by PL 1973, c. 100, are further amended to read:

1. Committees to organize and report. The committees elected at the convention shall organize within 30 days after the convention ~~by electing such officers as prescribed in their bylaws.~~ The secretary of each committee shall advise the state committee of the name and residence of its chairman and secretary within 10 days after ~~its organization~~ their election.

3. Term of office and duties of committees. The committees and their officers shall hold office ~~until~~ the next state convention unless otherwise as pre-

1 scribed in their bylaws, and shall perform the duties
2 imposed upon them by the convention ~~at which they~~
3 ~~were chosen~~ and their bylaws.

4 STATEMENT OF FACT

5 The purpose of this bill is to allow state polit-
6 ical party committees to determine when their offi-
7 cers shall be elected. This bill removes the re-
8 quirement that these officers be elected within 30
9 days of the party's convention.

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