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L.D. 1434  
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SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to  
S.P. 533, L.D. 1434, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to  
Solicitations and Public Office Holding by State Em-  
ployees."

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Amend the amendment by striking out everything  
after the title and inserting in its place the fol-  
lowing:

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'Amend the bill by striking out all of section 2.

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Further amend the bill in section 3, in that part  
designated "§21." by striking out all of subsection 2  
(page 2, lines 16 to 24 in L.D.) and inserting in its  
place the following:

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'2. Employee of this State. "Employee of this  
State" means an employee in the classified or unclas-  
sified service, as defined in chapters 57 and 71.'

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Further amend the bill in section 3, in that part  
designated "§22." by striking out all of subsection 3  
(page 3, lines 12 to 19 in L.D.) and inserting in its  
place the following:

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'3. Solicitation within an unclassified  
officer's or employee's department. An unclassified  
officer or employee of this State, may not solicit or  
request any payments, loan, contribution or anything  
of value from any employee within the department in  
which the unclassified officer or employee is em-  
ployed or with which the unclassified officer or em-  
ployee is affiliated for a political party, commit-  
tee, organization, agency or person for political  
purposes.'

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Further amend the bill in section 3, in that part

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1 designated "§23." by striking out all of subsection 3  
2 (page 4, lines 1 to 5 in L.D.) and inserting in its  
3 place the following:

4 '3. Participation in political campaigns. Ex-  
5 cept as provided in section 22, participate fully in  
6 political activities, including donating his own  
7 funds, time or service.'

8 Further amend the bill by inserting at the end  
9 before the statement of fact the following:

10 'Sec. 4. 5 MRSA §679-A, as enacted by PL 1975,  
11 c. 309, §2, is repealed.'

12 Further amend the bill by renumbering the sec-  
13 tions to read consecutively.'

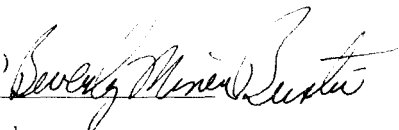
14 STATEMENT OF FACT

15 This amendment deletes new language on rights of  
16 state employees to solicit political contributions.  
17 It further deletes the repealer of the current stat-  
18 ute on this subject. The effect is that unclassified  
19 employees will retain their existing rights to solici-  
20 it political contributions.

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22 (Sen. Bustin)

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