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L.D. 1434

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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
112TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT " B " 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."

Amend the amendment by striking out everything  
after the first paragraph after the title and insert-  
ing in its place the following:

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

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:

'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.'

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

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

**D. OF R.**

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to S.P. 533, L.D. 1434

1 Further amend the bill by inserting at the end  
2 before the statement of fact the following:

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4 c. 309, §2, is repealed.'

5 Further amend the bill by renumbering the sec-  
6 tions to read consecutively.'

7 STATEMENT OF FACT

8 This amendment deletes new language on rights of  
9 state employees to solicit political contributions.  
10 It further deletes the repealer of the current stat-  
11 ute on this subject. The effect is that unclassified  
12 employees will retain their existing rights to solici-  
13 t political contributions.

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15 (Sen. Bustin)

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