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L.D. 1861
(Filing No. H- 536)

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1326, L.D.
1861, Bill, "AN ACT Concerning the Open Time for
Polls on Election Day."

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Amend the bill in subsection 1, in the 5th line
(page 1, line 28 in L.D.) by striking out the under-
lined figure and words "2,500 or less" and inserting
in their place the underlined words and figure 'less
than 4,000'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment allows municipalities of less than
4,000 people to wait until 10 a.m. to open the polls
on election day. The population figure is raised
from 2,500 in the bill to be consistent with the pop-
ulation cutoff for the required number of voting
booths in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 21-A,
section 629.

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