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SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 1201, L.D. 1638,  
8 Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Terms of Office for Trust-  
9 ees of the Kennebec Water District."

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Amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all  
11 of section 5 and inserting in its place the follow-  
12 ing:

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'Sec. 5. Trustees. All the affairs of the water  
district shall be managed by a board of trustees com-  
posed of 7 members. Two of the trustees shall be  
chosen by the municipal officers of Waterville, 2 by  
the municipal officers of Fairfield, 2 by the municip-  
al officers of Winslow and one shall be appointed by  
the county commissioners of Kennebec County to fill a  
seat which alternates every 3 years between the resi-  
dents of the Towns of Benton and Vassalboro. As soon  
as convenient after the members of the board have  
been chosen, the trustees shall hold a meeting at the  
city rooms in the City of Waterville and organize by  
the election of a president and clerk, adopt a corpo-  
rate seal and, when necessary, may choose a treasurer  
and all other necessary officers and agents for the  
proper conduct and management of the affairs of the  
district. Whenever the term of office of a trustee  
expires, the body which appointed the trustee shall  
appoint a successor to serve a full term of 3 years;  
and, in case any other vacancy arises, it shall be  
filled in like manner for the unexpired term. The  
trustees may also ordain and establish such bylaws as  
necessary for their convenience and the proper man-  
agement of the district's affairs. The trustees may  
procure an office and incur such expenses as may be  
necessary.

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The trustees shall receive as compensation for  
their services \$20 for each meeting attended and re-

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1 imbursement for travel and expenses up to a maximum  
2 of \$500 per year, unless changed in accordance with  
3 the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 35, chapter 262.

4 The term of office for trustees shall be 3 years,  
5 beginning on the first Monday in April as follows:  
6 The term of the trustee from the Towns of Benton or  
7 Vassalboro shall begin in April 1988, with a trustee  
8 from Vassalboro and continue with a trustee from Ben-  
9 ton beginning in April 1991, continuing to alternate  
10 between the towns every 3 years thereafter; the terms  
11 of one trustee from Waterville, one from Fairfield  
12 and one from Winslow shall begin in April 1989, and  
13 every 3 years thereafter; and the terms of one trust-  
14 ee from Waterville, one from Fairfield and one from  
15 Winslow shall begin in April 1990, and every 3 years  
16 thereafter. No person may serve more than 2 full  
17 terms consecutively without a break in service before  
18 reappointment.'

19 STATEMENT OF FACT

20 This amendment requires that the trustee in the  
21 7th seat on the board of trustees alternate between  
22 the Towns of Benton and Vassalboro while continuing  
23 to be appointed by the the county commissioners.

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1           In implementing the new terms for the trustees,  
2 from any particular town which has 2 trustees, it is  
3 expected that the trustee with the latest expiration  
4 date of their present term will have the latest expi-  
5 ration date for their new term.

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