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1 L.D. 1787

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3 STATE OF MAINE
4 SENATE
5 113TH LEGISLATURE
6 FIRST REGULAR SESSION

7 SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 1309, L.D. 1787,
8 Bill, "AN ACT to Revise the Harassment Law."

9 Amend the bill in section 1, in that part design-
10 nated "§4651." by striking out all of subsections 3
11 and 4 (page 2, lines 7 to 25 in L.D.) and inserting
12 in their place the following:

13 '3. Harassment. "Harassment" means any repeated
14 act of intimidation, harassment, physical force or
15 threat of physical force whether or not performed un-
16 der color of law, directed against any person, family
17 or their property or advocate with the intention of
18 causing fear or intimidation or to deter free exer-
19 cise or enjoyment of any rights or privileges secured
20 by the Constitution of Maine and the United States
21 Constitution. This definition does not include any
22 act protected by the constitutional guarantee of free
23 speech.

24 4. Law enforcement agency. "Law enforcement
25 agency" means the State Police, a sheriff's depart-
26 ment or a municipal police department.'

27 Further amend the bill in section 1, in that part
28 designated "§4660." in subsection 1 (page 7, line 38
29 in L.D.) by inserting at the end the following:

30 'These incident reports shall contain sufficient in-
31 formation to indicate whether the incident was di-
32 rected at the victim because of his real or perceived
33 race, color, sex, sexual orientation, ethnic back-
34 ground, nationality, country of origin, religious be-
35 lief, age or disability.'

36 Further amend the bill in section 2, in that part
37 designated "§2931" by striking out all of the first

