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7 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "H " to H.P. 1679, L.D. 2308, 8 Bill, "AN ACT to Designate the Schooner Bowdoin as the 9 Official State Vessel."

10 Amend the bill by inserting at the beginning of 11 the first line after the enacting clause (page 1, line 12 6 in L.D.) the following: 'Sec. 1.'

13 Further amend the bill by inserting before the 14 Statement of Fact the following:

'Sec. 2. Application and limitations. 15 Section I shall take effect only in accordance with the provisions of this section. Nothing in this Act may be construed to require the State to be responsible for any liabilities or obligations incurred by the 16 17 18 19 20 owner or owners of the schooner "Bowdoin." The State shall not be held responsible in whole or in part for 21 22 the maintenance, repair, reconstruction or any other 23 costs or obligations incurred by the schooner "Bowdoin." If ownership of the schooner "Bowdoin" is 24 25 transferred to any entity other than a nonprofit corporation or to any person, firm or organization located outside the State or if the schooner is leased to any entity other than a nonprofit corporation, the designation of the schooner "Bowdoin" as the official 26 27 28 29 state vessel shall be null and void.' 30

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STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this amendment is to make clear that, by designating the schooner "Bowdoin" as the 2 3 4 state vessel which is owned by a private, nonprofit corporation, the State incurs no liabilities, 5 obligations or responsibilities for the maintenance, 6 repair, construction or any other costs incurred by the vessel or its owners. If the ownership of the vessel is transferred to or the schooner "Bowdoin" is leased to any entity other than a nonprofit corporation, or ownership of the vessel is transferred 7 8 9 10 11 to any person, firm or organization located outside 12 13 the State, the designation of the vessel as the state vessel snall no longer apply. 14

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