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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
114TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1790, "JOINT RESOLUTION
PETITIONING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROPOSE AN
AMENDMENT TO THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTION TO LIMIT THE TERMS OF
MEMBERS OF CONGRESS"

Amend the resolution in the first paragraph in the 3rd line
by inserting after the following: "body" the following: ', a
model embraced by this State,'

Further amend the resolution by striking out all of the 6th
paragraph and inserting in its place the following:

'**WHEREAS**, the most common complaint that the citizens of
this State make about legislative service is that members of
Congress as well as members of this Legislature spend more of
their time running for office than attending to their duties; and

WHEREAS, to avoid the appearance of hypocrisy, the
Legislature of this State recognizes the fairness of imposing
similar limitations on itself; now, therefore, be it'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment adds language to the resolution acknowledging
the fairness of imposing similar limitations on this Legislature.

Filed by Rep. Hanley of Paris
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