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## STATE OF MAINE SENATE 114TH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 702, L.D. 1840, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Charter of the Castine Water District"

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 3 and

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'Sec. 3. P&SL 1961, c. 67, §18 is amended to read:

inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 18. Existing statutes not affected; rights conferred subject to provisions of law. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal, or shall be construed as repealing, the whole or any part of any existing statute, and all rights and duties herein mentioned shall be exercised and performed in accordance with all the applicable provisions of the <u>Maine</u> Revised Statutes ef--1954, ehapter-44, <u>Title 35-A</u>, with particular reference to chapter 61 and section 6303, subsections 4 and 5 and all acts amendatory thereof or additional thereto.'

## STATEMENT OF FACT

Section 3 of the original bill contains provisions for 34 setting rates for water main extensions and system development charges. Those provisions are currently in the Maine Revised 36 Statutes, Title 35-A, chapter 61 and apply to all water Section 18 of the charter of the Castine Water districts. 38 District already states that the Castine Water District is 40 subject to the applicable provisions of the Maine utility laws. This amendment deletes section 3 of the original bill and 42 replaces it with language amending section 18 of the charter of the Castine Water District so that it refers to the applicable 44 provisions of the latest edition of the Maine Revised Statutes.

Reported by Senator Bost for the Committee on Utilities. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12. (1/24/90) (Filing No. S-474)

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