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

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1728, L.D. 2387, Bill, "An Act to Form a County Corrections Department for Cumberland County"

Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following:

'An Act to Clarify the Appointment of County Jail Administrators'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:

'30-A MRSA §1501, first ¶, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 737, Pt. A, §2 and Pt. C, §106 and as amended by PL 1989, c. 6; c. 9, §2; and c. 104, Pt. C, §§8 and 10, is further amended to read:

The sheriff has the custody and charge of the county jail and of all prisoners in that jail and shall keep it in person, or by a deputy as jailer, master or keeper. The appointment, discipline, suspension or dismissal of the jailer, master or keeper is subject to section 501.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment replaces the bill and clarifies the current appointment process for county jail administrators. It makes explicit the requirement that a sheriff's appointment or dismissal of a jail administrator is subject to the approval of the county commissioners.

Reported by the Committee on State and Local Government  
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