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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
115TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 97, L.D. 182, Bill, "An Act to Limit Certain Terms of Office"

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

'Sec. 1. 3 MRSA §21-A is enacted to read:

§21-A. President of Senate; term limitation

Beginning December 2, 1992, the maximum number of years that any person may serve as President of the Senate is 8. Service as President of the Senate prior to December 2, 1992 is not included in the calculation of years served.

Sec. 2. 3 MRSA §41-A is enacted to read:

§41-A. Speaker of House of Representatives; term limitation

Beginning December 2, 1992, the maximum number of years that any person may serve as Speaker of the House of Representatives is 8. Service as Speaker of the House of Representatives prior to December 2, 1992 is not included in the calculation of years served.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

L.D. 182 limits to 4 years the amount of time any individual may serve as President of the Senate or Speaker of the House of Representatives beginning in the First Regular Session of the 116th Legislature. This amendment changes the limit to 8 years. The amendment further eliminates time served in either position prior to December 2, 1992 from consideration in the calculation of the 8-year maximum.

Reported by the Minority for the Committee on State and Local Government. Reproduced and Distributed Pursuant to Senate Rule 12.

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COMMITTEE