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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative AULT of Wayne. Cosponsored by Representative NORTON of Winthrop, Representative BUTLAND of Cumberland and Senator BERUBE of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

An Act to Amend the Election Laws Dealing with Local Elections.

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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30-A MRSA §2528, sub-§4, ¶B, as amended by PL 1989, c. 104, 4 Pt. A, §18 and Pt. C, §§8 and 10, is further amended to read:

B. At the end of the list of candidates for each office, there shall <u>must</u> be left as many blank spaces as there are vacancies to be filled in which a voter may write in the name and-<u>municipality</u>-of-residence of any person for whom the voter desires to vote. A sticker may not be used to vote for a write-in candidate in any municipal election other than a primary election.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Current law requires that voters include the municipality of 18 residence along with the name of any write-in candidates. This bill deletes the requirement that the municipality be included 20 for municipal elections.