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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
115TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1664, L.D. 2341, Bill, "An Act Regarding Advisory Boards and Occupational and Professional Licensing Boards"

Amend the amendment by inserting after the title the following:

'Amend the bill by striking out all of the first line after the enacting clause (page 1, line 23 in L.D.)

Further amend the bill in Part A in section 6 in the first paragraph in the last line (page 4, line 34 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "Part" and inserting in its place the following: 'Act' '

Further amend the amendment in the first paragraph after the title in the first line (page 1, line 17 in amendment) by striking out the following: "Amend" and inserting in its place the following: 'Further amend'

Further amend the amendment on page 1 by striking out all of section A-8 (page 1, lines 21 to 43 in amendment) and inserting in its place the following:

**'Sec. A-8. Legislative review of statutory advisory boards.** The Secretary of State shall submit legislation calling for the repeal of those advisory boards and commissions listed in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, sections 12004-I and 12004-J and any other advisory boards and commissions not listed in those sections whose responsibilities are comparable to the listed boards and commissions. The Secretary of State, in consultation with the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives, shall group the repeal provisions for the advisory boards and commissions into separate pieces of legislation so as to allow review of each piece of legislation by the appropriate joint standing committee of the Legislature.

2 In considering legislation submitted by the Secretary of  
4 State under this Act, on direction of the Legislative Council,  
6 each joint standing committee of the Legislature shall consider  
the following questions in evaluating the advisory boards  
contained in that legislation:

8 Further amend the amendment on page 2 in the first paragraph  
10 in the last line (line 7 in amendment) by striking out the  
following: "that joint standing committee" and inserting in its  
12 place the following: 'the Legislative Council'

14 Further amend the amendment on page 2 by striking out all of  
the 2nd indented paragraph (page 2, lines 9 to 11 in amendment)  
16 and inserting in its place the following:

18 'Further amend the bill in Part A by renumbering the  
sections to read consecutively.

20 Further amend the bill by striking out all of Part B.'

22 Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the  
24 fiscal note and inserting in its place the following:

#### 26 'FISCAL NOTE

28 The Executive Department will incur some minor additional  
administrative costs to review boards and commissions established  
30 by executive order or by informal action. The Department of  
Professional and Financial Regulation will also incur some minor  
32 additional administrative costs to review and report on licensing  
boards. The Office of the Revisor of Statutes will incur some  
34 minor additional costs to review statutory references to boards.  
The Office of the Secretary of State will also incur additional  
36 costs related to new guidelines for reporting on board activities  
and submitting legislation to repeal inactive boards and advisory  
boards and commissions listed in the Maine Revised Statutes,  
38 Title 5, sections 12004-I and 12004-J. These costs can be  
absorbed by the respective departments and agencies within their  
40 existing budgeted resources.'

#### 42 STATEMENT OF FACT

44 This amendment incorporates the substance of House Amendment  
46 "A" to Committee Amendment "A" and provides that the Legislative  
48 Council may direct the joint standing committees to consider  
certain questions in their evaluation and that the joint standing

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2 committees provide copies of their findings to the Legislative  
Council.

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**HOUSE AMENDMENT**