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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
116TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 176,
L.D. 228, "RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution
of Maine to Protect State Parks"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the first 3
paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 17 to 33 in amendment)
and inserting in their place the following:

'Amend the resolution by striking out that part designated
"Sec. 23." (page 1, lines 7 to 9 in L.D.) and inserting in its
place the following:

'Sec. 23. Protected lands. The Legislature may designate state
park land, public reserve lands or other real estate held by the
State for conservation or recreation purposes by enactment of
legislation and any land so designated may not be reduced or its
uses substantially altered, except on the vote of 3/4 of all the
members elected to each House.'

Further amend the resolution by striking the referendum
question (page 1, lines 24 and 25 in L.D.) and inserting in its
place the following:

' "Do you favor amending the Constitution of Maine to
protect designated state parks or other designated
conservation or recreation land by requiring a 3/4 vote of
the Legislature to reduce it or change its purpose?" ' '

HOUSE AMENDMENT

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment specifies that a 3/4 vote of the Legislature is required to reduce or alter the purpose of state parks, public reserve lands or other lands that have been designated as protected by an enactment of legislation.

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