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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 550, L.D. 746, Bill, "An Act to Increase Tenant Representation on Housing Authorities"

Amend the bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

'Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph A in the first line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the figure "6" and inserting in its place the following: '6 7'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph A in subparagraph (1) in the 3rd line (page 1, line 36 in L.D.) by striking out the underlined figure "3" and inserting in its place the following: 'at least 2'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 2.

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

'FISCAL NOTE

This bill requires local units of government to make additional expenditures related to the increase in the number of commissioners on municipal housing authorities. Pursuant to the mandate preamble, the 2/3 vote of all members elected to each House exempts the State from the constitutional requirement to fund 90% of the additional local cost of these requirements.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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6 This amendment allows 7 commissioners for appointment to a
municipal housing authority, an increase from 6 commissioners
permitted by current law. This amendment also requires that in a
8 municipality with subsidized housing at least 2 of the
commissioners be residents of that housing. This amendment
10 removes the provisions of the bill relating to the Maine State
Housing Authority and also adds the necessary state mandate
12 preamble and fiscal note.

Reported by the Committee on Housing and Economic Development
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