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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 249, L.D. 768, Bill, "An Act to Establish Term Limitations for Presiding Officers, Leadership and Committee Chairs"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act to Establish Term Limitations for Committee Chairs'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of sections 1 to 4 and inserting in their place the following:

'Sec. 1. 3 MRSA §165-A is enacted to read:

§165-A. Committee chairs; term limitation

A person may not serve as a chair of the same joint standing or joint select committee of the Legislature for more than 3 consecutive legislative bienniums. Service as a chair representing one House of the Legislature is not included in the calculation of years of service as a chair representing the other House. Service as a committee chair before December 2, 1992 is not included in the calculation of years served.'

Further amend the bill by renumbering the sections to read consecutively.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment limits to 3 consecutive legislative bienniums the time a Legislator may serve as either Senate or House chair of the same committee.

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

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT