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

HOUSE AMENDMENT "C" to H.P. 1150, L.D. 1550, Bill, "An Act to Reduce the Influence of Money in Elective Politics"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 5 by striking out all of paragraphs A and B (page 1, lines 9 to 12 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

- 'A. Otherwise authorized by law;
- B. Properly incidental to another activity required or authorized by law; or
- C. In the case of public facilities, routinely used by nongovernmental organizations.'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 6 (page 3, lines 8 to 25 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 6. 21-A MRSA §1015, sub-§§7 and 8 are enacted to read:

7. Candidate-to-candidate contributions. A candidate or a candidate's political committee may accept contributions of no more than \$100 from another candidate or another candidate's political committee.

8. Contributions during legislative session. A candidate, a candidate's political committee, a State Senator, a State Representative, the Governor or the political committee of a State Senator, a State Representative or the Governor may not solicit or receive a contribution or promise of a contribution during the legislative session from a lobbyist as defined by Title 3, section 312-A.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment adds language to the bill that clarifies that a state official or employee may use public facilities for campaign activities if that public facility is routinely used by nongovernmental organizations.

The amendment also strikes out that part of the bill that requires a candidate who receives an anonymous contribution of more than \$20 to remit the entire contribution to the commission.

Filed by Rep. Larrivee of Gorham
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