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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1153, L.D. 1552, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Laws Governing the Required Qualifications to Practice Law in the State"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 1. 4 MRSA §805-A, sub-§2, ¶A, as enacted by PL 1985, c. 124, §6, is amended to read:

A. Produces satisfactory evidence of good moral character. Evidence of lack of good moral character includes, but is not limited to, conviction as an adult of a crime that is punishable by imprisonment of one year or more in this State or in another state or jurisdiction of the United States.

(1) An applicant who has been convicted as an adult of a crime that is punishable by imprisonment of one year or more in this State or in another state or jurisdiction of the United States is presumed to not meet the requirement of good moral character.

(2) This presumption may be rebutted by proof that:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

