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STATE OF MAINE
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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1372, L.D. 1856, Bill, "An Act Concerning the 1993 Apportionment of Legislative Districts"

Amend the bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause the following:

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, certain legislative districts will be delineated pursuant to the apportionment plan after their primary elections are held but before the general election; and

Whereas, it would be easier and less confusing for towns and municipalities to know the delineation of legislative districts before any further elections are held; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated "§1203." in subsection 16 by striking out all of paragraph B (page 6, lines 41 to 45 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

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2 B. In Lincoln County, the municipalities and unorganized
3 territories of Alna, Boothbay, Boothbay Harbor, Bremen,
4 Bristol, Damariscotta, Dresden, Edgecomb, Hibberts Gore
5 unorganized territory, Jefferson, Monhegan Plantation,
6 Newcastle, Nobleboro, Somerville, South Bristol, Southport,
7 Waldoboro, Westport, Whitefield and Wiscasset.

8 Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part designated
9 "§1204." in subsection 57 by striking out all of paragraph B
10 (page 29, lines 37 and 38 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the
11 following:

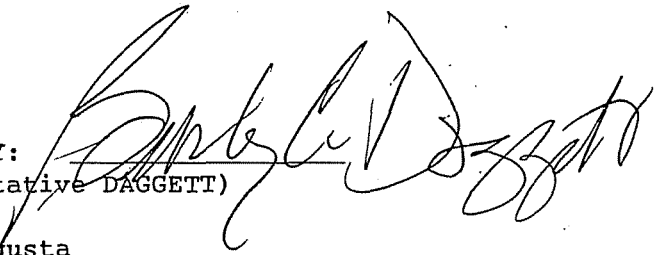
12 'B. In Lincoln County, the municipalities and unorganized
13 territories of Alna, Hibberts Gore unorganized territory,
14 Somerville, Whitefield and Wiscasset.'

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

17 'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the
18 preamble, this Act takes effect when approved.'

24 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

25 The amendment adds an emergency preamble and emergency
26 clause to the bill and clarifies that Hibberts Gore is Hibberts
27 Gore unorganized territory.

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34 SPONSORED BY: 
35 (Representative DAGGETT)
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37 TOWN: Augusta
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