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H.P. 1064

House of Representatives, May 4, 1995

**An Act to Extend the Deadline for a Maine State Police Officer to
Choose a Certain Retirement Option.**

(AFTER DEADLINE)

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27.
Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative BAILEY of Township 27.
Cosponsored by Representatives: BIGL of Bucksport, BIRNEY of Paris, BOUFFARD of Lewiston, BUNKER of Kossuth Township, CAMERON of Rumford, CAMPBELL of Holden, CHARTRAND of Rockland, CHICK of Lebanon, CLARK of Millinocket, CLUKEY of Houlton, DiPIETRO of South Portland, DONNELLY of Presque Isle, DORE of Auburn, DRISCOLL of Calais, FARNUM of South Berwick, FISHER of Brewer, GOOLEY of Farmington, GOULD of Greenville, GUERRETTE of Pittston, GWADOSKY of Fairfield, HATCH of Skowhegan, HEINO of Boothbay, HICHBORN of Lagraange, JACQUES of Waterville, JONES of Pittsfield, JOSEPH of Waterville, KEANE of Old Town, KERR of Old Orchard Beach, KNEELAND of Easton, LANE of Enfield, LAYTON of Cherryfield, LEMAIRE of Lewiston, LIBBY of Kennebunk, LINDAHL of Northport, LOOK of Jonesboro, LUMBRA of Bangor, LUTHER of Mexico, MADORE of Augusta, MARSHALL of Eliot, MAYO of Bath, McALEVEY of Waterboro, MERES of Norridgewock, MITCHELL of Vassalboro, MORRISON of Bangor, MURPHY of Berwick, NICKERSON of Turner, O'GARA of Westbrook, OTT of York, PEAVEY of Woolwich, PENDLETON of Scarborough, PERKINS of Penobscot, PINKHAM of Lamoine, POULIOT of Lewiston, REED of Falmouth, REED of Dexter, RICKER of Lewiston, ROBICHAUD of Caribou,

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Penobscot, PARADIS of Aroostook, PENDEXTER of Cumberland, PINGREE of Knox,
RUHLIN of Penobscot, STEVENS of Androscoggin.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §17852, sub-§4, as amended by PL 1993, c. 626,
4 §1, is further amended by amending the last paragraph to read:

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This paragraph takes effect July 1, 1995. Election to
retire under this paragraph is a one-time irrevocable
8 election. A person first hired as a ~~State--Police~~ state
police officer after July 1, 1995 must make the election no
10 later than 30 days after the date of first employment. A
person already employed as a ~~State--Police~~ state police
12 officer on July 1, 1995 must make the election no later than
~~90-days-after-July-1, 1995~~ January 1, 1997.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill extends the deadline by which state police
officers must make an election under the Maine State Retirement
20 System.