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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 123, L.D. 147, Bill, "An Act to Extend the Jurisdiction of the Maine Labor Relations Board to Public Employees Who Have Been Employed Fewer Than 6 Months"

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

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'An Act to Extend the Jurisdiction of the Maine Labor Relations Board to Employees of Public Higher Education Institutions Who Have Been Employed Fewer Than 6 Months'

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Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 1.

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Further amend the bill by inserting after section 2 the following:

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'Sec. 3. Application. This Act applies to all collective bargaining contracts executed or renewed on or after September 1, 1997 by parties subject to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 26, chapter 12.'

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Further amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

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SUMMARY

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This amendment restores the exclusion of persons employed fewer than 6 months from the definition of "public employee" under the Municipal Employees Labor Relations Act. The amendment leaves in place the provision in the original bill that removes

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2 the 6-month exclusion from the University of Maine System Labor
Relations Act, but that provision is made applicable only to
4 collective bargaining contracts executed or renewed on or after
September 1, 1997.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT