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## **STATE OF MAINE** HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES **118TH LEGISLATURE** SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT " $\mathcal{H}$  " to committee amendment "A" to H.P. 1492, L.D. 2091, Bill, "An Act Providing for Additional Elections for Ties for School Board Membership"

Amend the amendment by striking out all of the 2nd and 3rd paragraphs after the title (page 1, lines 29 to 38 in amendment).

## FISCAL NOTE

24 The requirement that municipalities have an additional meeting to conduct a run-off election in the event of a tie vote during any town meeting election represents a state mandate 26 pursuant to the Constitution of Maine. The additional local 28 costs can not be determined at this time. General Fund appropriations will be required to fund at least 90% of the 30 additional costs unless a Mandate Preamble is amended to the bill ' and two-thirds of the members of each House vote to exempt this 32 mandate from the funding requirement.

## **SUMMARY**

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This amendment removes the mandate preamble.

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