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RES

L.D. 2270

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
118TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 857, L.D. 2270, "Resolution, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Amend the Timing of Elections Following the Submission of a Petition for People's Veto"

Amend the amendment by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Amend the resolution in that part designated "Art. IV, Part Third, §17, sub-§1" in the last line (page 1, line 24 in resolution) by striking out the following: "statewide or general" and inserting in its place the following: 'statewide primary or general'

Further amend the resolution in that part designated "Art. IV, Part Third, §17, sub-§3" in the 6th line (page 1, line 33 in resolution) by striking out the following: "statewide" and inserting in its place the following: 'statewide primary'

Further amend the resolution in that part designated "Art. IV, Part Third, §17, sub-§3" in the 4th line from the end (page 1, line 40 in resolution) by striking out the following: "statewide or general" and inserting in its place the following: 'statewide primary or general'

Further amend the resolution in that part designated "Art. IV, Part Third, §17, sub-§3" in the next to last line (page 1, line 42 in resolution) by striking out the following: "such an election" and inserting in its place the following: 'such--an that election'

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2 Further amend the resolution in that part designated
3 "**Constitutional referendum procedure**;" by striking out all of the
4 question (page 2, lines 8 to 11 in resolution) and inserting in
5 its place the following:

6 ' "Do you favor amending the Constitution of Maine to
7 require that a petition for a people's veto be voted on at
8 the next primary or general election, rather than at a
9 special election?" '

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SUMMARY

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This amendment requires that an election on a people's veto
must be held at a primary or general election, whichever comes
16 first, but no sooner than 60 days following the Governor's
17 proclamation of referral to the voters.

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TOWN: Freeport

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