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No. 546

H.P. 404

House of Representatives, January 19, 1999

**An Act to Exempt Certain Law Enforcement Officers from the Full
Course of Training at the Maine Criminal Justice Academy.**

Reference to the Committee on Criminal Justice suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative PIEH of Bremen.
Cosponsored by Senator PINGREE of Knox and
Representatives: BAGLEY of Machias, HONEY of Boothbay, LEMONT of Kittery,
LORING of the Penobscot Nation, PERKINS of Penobscot, SKOGLUND of St. George,
Senators: KILKELLY of Lincoln, NUTTING of Androscoggin.

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2804-B, sub-§1, as amended by PL 1997, c. 395, Pt. O, §3, is further amended to read:

1. **Required.** A person may not serve as a law enforcement officer with the power to make arrests or the authority to carry a firearm in the course of duty until certified by the board as satisfying all preservice training requirements, unless that person is serving only as a harbor master or municipal shellfish conservation warden and complies with the recertification requirements of section 2804-C.

SUMMARY

This bill exempts harbor masters and municipal shellfish conservation wardens from the full course of study at the Maine Criminal Justice Academy. It does not exempt them from ongoing training requirements.