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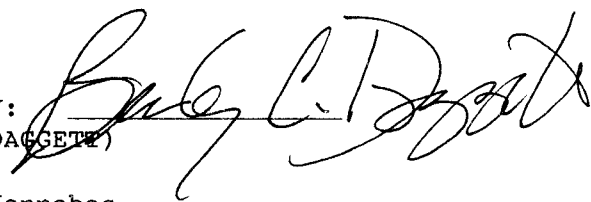
**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
119TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 420, L.D. 1257, Bill, "An Act to Regulate Push Polling"

Amend the amendment in section 1 in subsection 4 in paragraph A in the first line (page 1, line 30 in amendment) by striking out the following: "of telephone surveys" and inserting in its place the following: 'of more than 1,000 telephone calls in the case of an election for a statewide office, more than 500 telephone calls in the case of an election to the State Senate or more than 250 telephone calls in the case of an election to the State House of Representatives, commenced within 17 days prior to that election,'

SUMMARY

This amendment amends the definition of "push poll" to apply only to series of telephone calls that are commenced within 17 days prior to an election. This amendment also specifies the number of telephone calls that must be placed in order to come under the definition of "push polling."

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SENATE AMENDMENT