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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
119TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

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

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

'Resolve, Directing the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices to Adopt Rules Regulating Push Polling'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. Push polling; rulemaking. Resolved: That the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices shall adopt rules regulating push polling, including sanctions for candidates whose campaigns violate such rules governing push polling. Rules adopted pursuant to this section are major substantive rules as defined in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter II-A.'

FISCAL NOTE

The additional costs associated with adopting rules and submitting a report can be absorbed by the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices utilizing existing budgeted resources.

HOUSE AMENDMENT

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill. This amendment requires the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices to adopt rules regulating push polling.

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