

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

*M*  
*R.S.*

L.D. 1492

DATE: 5-5-99

(Filing No. H-469)

**LEGAL AND VETERANS AFFAIRS**

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

**STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
119TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1061, L.D. 1492, Bill, "An Act to Propose Changes to the Maine Election Laws"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §354, sub-§7, ¶B, as amended by PL 1995, c. 459, §26, is further amended to read:

B. Petitions must be delivered to the registrar, or clerk at the request or upon the absence of the registrar, for certification by 5 p.m. on May 25th in the election year in which the petitions are to be used, except that petitions for a slate of candidates for the office of presidential elector must be delivered for certification by 5 p.m. on August 8th in the election year in which the petitions are to be used.

Sec. 2. 21-A MRSA §354, sub-§8-A, as amended by PL 1995, c. 459, §28, is further amended to read:

8-A. **Filed with the Secretary of State.** A nomination petition must be filed in the office of the Secretary of State by 5 p.m. on June 1st in the election year in which it is to be used, except that petitions for a slate of candidates for the office of presidential elector must be filed in the office of the Secretary of State by 5 p.m. on August 15th in the election year in which the petitions are to be used.'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

208

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1061, L.D. 1492

2

**SUMMARY**

4

This amendment replaces the bill. It extends the date for filing nomination petitions for a slate of candidates for the office of presidential elector with the Secretary of State and the municipality.

6

8