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House of Representatives, February 1, 2001

## An Act to Amend the Charter of the Lewiston-Auburn Water Pollution Control Authority.

Reference to the Committee on Utilities and Energy suggested and ordered printed.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative MAILHOT of Lewiston. Cosponsored by Senator DOUGLASS of Androscoggin and Representatives: BOUFFARD of Lewiston, COTE of Lewiston, JACOBS of Turner, McDONOUGH of Portland, McLAUGHLIN of Cape Elizabeth, O'BRIEN of Lewiston, SIMPSON of Auburn, Senator: ROTUNDO of Androscoggin.

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

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Sec. 1. P&SL 1967, c. 92, 14, first 1, as amended by P&SL 1993, c. 28, 3, is further amended to read:

Sec. 14. Lewiston-Auburn Water Pollution Control Board. 6 The authority is under the management and direction of a board of 8 directors, which is known as the Lewiston-Auburn Water Pollution Control Board, also referred to as "the board" or "the board of 10 the authority." The board consists of 7 members. The director Works, Department of the Lewiston of Public the City 12 Administrator of the City of Lewiston or the Assistant City Administrator, if designated by the City Administrator or serving 14 as acting City Administrator during a vacancy in the office of City Administrator, the superintendent and the president of the Auburn Sewerage District and the City Manager of the City of 16 Auburn or the Assistant City Manager, if designated by the City Manager or serving as acting City Manager during a vacancy in the 18 office of City Manager, are members of the board by virtue of their respective offices and in the event of the termination of 20 their respective officers they continue as members of the board 22 of the authority until their replacements are elected or appointed. If the president of the Auburn Sewerage District 24 Trustees declines to serve or resigns as a member of the board of the authority, the president shall select another trustee to serve for the remainder of the term. Notice of the appointment 26 must be given in writing by the clerk of the Auburn Sewerage District to the board of the authority. The Mayor of Lewiston 28 shall appoint, subject to confirmation of the city council, a 30 qualified voter of the city of Lewiston to serve for a 2-year term on the board of the authority and thereafter until a 32 successor takes office. In the event that either the Lewiston resident so selected or the appointee of the president of the 34 Auburn Sewerage District ceases to be a resident of that person's respective city, or dies, becomes incapacitated, or otherwise ceases to be a member of the Auburn Sewerage District Trustees, 36 or if the president of the Auburn Sewerage District dies or 38 becomes incapacitated while serving on the board of the authority, a successor must be elected to serve out the remainder 40 of the term by the Mayor and City Council of Lewiston or the Auburn Sewerage District Trustees, as the case may be. 42

**SUMMARY** 

46 This bill amends the Charter of the Lewiston-Auburn Water Pollution Control Authority to include Lewiston's Assistant City 48 Administrator and Auburn's Assistant City Manager as board members under certain circumstances.