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H.P. 387

House of Representatives, February 6, 2001

An Act to Repeal the Maine Criminal Justice Academy Certification Requirements for Sheriffs.

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

Millicent M. MacFarland

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative GOODWIN of Pembroke.
Cosponsored by Senator MARTIN of Aroostook and
Representative: CLARK of Millinocket.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §371-B, sub-§3, ¶¶B and C,** as repealed and
6 replaced by PL 1997, c. 562, Pt. D, §6 and affected by §11, are
8 amended to read:

10 B. The candidate has never been convicted of a Class C or
12 higher crime; and

14 C. The candidate applies to the Secretary of State for a
16 criminal background investigation; and

18 **Sec. 2. 30-A MRSA §371-B, sub-§3, ¶D,** as amended by PL 1999,
20 c. 338, §1, is repealed.

22 **SUMMARY**

24 This bill removes the requirement that a sheriff or
candidate for sheriff submit certification from the Maine
Criminal Justice Academy showing that the sheriff or candidate
has met the basic law enforcement training standards and basic
corrections training standards and has 5 years of supervisory
employment experience.