

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 120th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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No. 563

H.P. 442

House of Representatives, February 6, 2001

**An Act to Require Towns to Process Initiative and Referendum Petitions  
within One Week of Delivery.**

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Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

*Millicent M. MacFarland*

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative MICHAEL of Auburn.

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

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Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §2505 is enacted to read:

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§2505. Processing of petitions for local or state initiatives  
and referendums

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A municipality shall process petitions for local or state  
initiatives and referendums within one week after delivery.

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### SUMMARY

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This bill requires municipalities to process local or state  
initiative and local referendum petitions within one week after  
delivery.

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