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H.P. 483

House of Representatives, February 8, 2001

An Act to Require Election Law Training to Voter Registrars and Clerks.

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

Millicent M. MacFarland

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative TESSIER of Fairfield.

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

Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §503, sub-§10, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 459, §33, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 21-A MRSA §505, sub-§7, as enacted by PL 1995, c. 459, §34, is amended to read:

7. **Return of votes cast.** Report the return of votes cast to the Secretary of State; and

Sec. 3. 21-A MRSA §505, sub-§7-A is enacted to read:

7-A. Training. Attend a training session that is approved by the Secretary of State at least once every 2 years in regard to the conduct of elections. The Secretary of State shall encourage municipalities to provide training biennially to all election officials; and

SUMMARY

This bill requires each municipal clerk to attend a training session that is approved by the Secretary of State at least once every 2 years in regard to the conduct of elections.