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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
120TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 308, L.D. 1055, Bill, "An Act to Regulate Push Polling"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'Resolve, to Study the Regulation of Push Polling'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. Study. Resolved: That the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices shall review disclosure laws required pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 21-A and shall develop a proposal to expand such disclosure requirements to other forms of paid political speech, including push polling. The commission, in developing its proposal, shall conduct public hearings. The commission shall submit its report, including any necessary implementing legislation, to the Second Regular Session of the 120th Legislature.'

FISCAL NOTE

The Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices will incur some minor additional costs to review disclosure laws and develop a proposal to include disclosure requirements for push polling. These costs can be absorbed within the commission's existing budgeted resources.

HOUSE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

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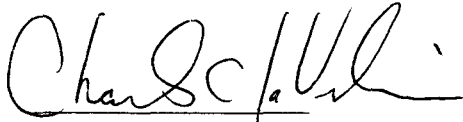
This amendment changes the bill to a resolve and requires the Commission on Governmental Ethics and Election Practices to review the disclosure laws under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 21-A and submit a proposal to include disclosure requirements for push polling to the Second Regular Session of the 120th Legislature.

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