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8	STATE OF MAINE	
10	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  121ST LEGISLATURE	
12	FIRST REGULAR SESSION	
14	HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 945, L.D. 1273, Bill, "An Ac	at
16	To Extend Term Limits"	
18	Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 are inserting in its place the following:	ać
20	'Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §553, as enacted by IB 1993, c. 1, §1 ar	n .
22	affected by §2, is amended to read:	.10
24	§553. Limitations on terms	
26	Notwithstanding any other provision of law, consecutive terms in office are limited as follows.	<b>J</b> €
28	1. State Senator. A person may not serve more than	1
30	consecutive terms of office the first term of which starts on o	<u>t</u> ł
32	after December 1, 2004, a person may not serve more than	
34	consecutive terms as a state Senator.	
	2. State Representative. A person may not serve more that	
36	4 consecutive terms as a member of the state House of Representatives, except that, beginning with consecutive terms of	
38	office the first term of which starts on or after December 1	
40	2004, a person may not serve more than 6 consecutive terms as state Representative.	<u>a</u>
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42	3. Secretary of State. A person may not serve more than consecutive terms as Secretary of State, except that, beginning	
44	with consecutive terms of office the first term of which start	:s
46	on or after December 1, 2004, a person may not serve more than consecutive terms as Secretary of State.	6
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2	4. Treasurer of State. A person may not serve more than 4
	consecutive terms as Treasurer of State, except that, beginning
4	with consecutive terms of office the first term of which starts
	on or after December 1, 2004, a person may not serve more than 6
6	consecutive terms as Treasurer of State.
8	5. Attorney General. A person may not serve more than 4
	consecutive terms as Attorney General, except that, beginning
10	with consecutive terms of office the first term of which starts on or after December 1, 2004, a person may not serve more than 6
12	consecutive terms as Attorney General.
L <b>4</b>	6. State Auditor. A person may not serve more than 2
	consecutive terms as State Auditor, except that, beginning with
L6	consecutive terms of office the first term of which starts on or
	after December 1, 2004, a person may not serve more than 3
L8	consecutive terms as State Auditor.
20	This section applies to terms of office that begin on or
	after December 3, 1996.'
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	Further amend the bill in section 2 in the question in the
24	2nd line (page 1, line 45 in L.D.) by inserting after the
	following: "officers" the following: 'beginning with
26	consecutive terms of office the first term of which begins on or after December 1, 2004'
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30	SUMMARY
32	This amendment limits the extension of term limits to those
	officials or officers who are not currently serving in that same
34	position. A person who was elected to an office prior to
	December 1, 2004 is still subject to a limit of 4 consecutive
36	terms, or 2 consecutive terms for the State Auditor. This
	amendment also changes the referendum question to reflect this
38	limitation.
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