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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 274, L.D. 361, Bill, "An Act To Reestablish the Penobscot County Budget Committee"

Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "~~§900-M.~~" by striking out all of subsection 2 and inserting in its place the following:

'2. Municipal official elections. Before October 15th of every year, the county commissioners shall notify all municipal officials to caucus by county commissioner district at a specified date, time and place for the purpose of electing one municipal official from each district as a member of the budget committee. Each county commissioner shall serve as nonvoting moderator for that district caucus. Nominations must be received from the floor. The nominee receiving the most votes is the budget committee member. The name of the member elected by the caucus must be recorded and forwarded to the county commissioners.'

Further amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Staggered terms. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, section 900-M, subsections 2 and 3, before October 15, 2005, each county commissioner district shall elect 2 members to serve on the Penobscot County Budget Committee, one of whom serves a one-year term and one of whom serves a 2-year term.'

SUMMARY

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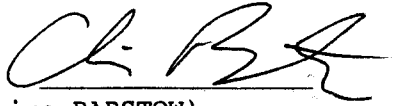
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This amendment corrects language to clarify that the 2 budget committee members elected from each county commissioner district serve staggered terms.

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