

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 450

House of Representatives, February 8, 2005

### **An Act To Limit Out-of-state Contributions to Organizations In a Referendum Campaign**

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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 CEBRA of Naples.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: BERUBE of Lisbon, CRESSEY of Cornish,  
CROSTHWAITE of Ellsworth, FLETCHER of Winslow, HAMPER of Oxford, LANSLEY of  
Sabattus, NUTTING of Oakland, ROBINSON of Raymond.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §1064** is enacted to read:

6 **§1064. Out-of-state contribution**

8 A political action committee in a campaign on a referendum  
10 question may not receive more than 20% of the committee's funds  
12 expended in the campaign from contributors outside of the State.

14 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill prohibits a political action committee in a referendum campaign from receiving more than 20% of its funds from sources outside of the State.