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14 **STATE OF MAINE**  
16 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
18 **122ND LEGISLATURE**  
20 **SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

22 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1246, L.D. 1806, Bill, "An  
24 Act To Clarify Maine State Retirement System Benefits for Certain  
26 Legislators"

28 Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 1 in the 16th to  
30 20th lines (page 1, lines 22 to 26 in L.D.) by striking out the  
32 following: "is no longer a member of the Maine State Retirement  
34 System. The Legislator becomes a member of the Maine Legislative  
36 Retirement System, regardless of whether the Legislator becomes a  
38 benefit recipient under Title 5, section 17804. No" and  
40 inserting in its place the following: 'no longer contributes to  
42 the Maine State Retirement System and, if qualified, is eligible  
to become a benefit recipient under Title 5, section 17804. Upon  
such termination, the Legislator becomes a member of the Maine  
Legislative Retirement System. No'

36 **SUMMARY**

38 This amendment clarifies that a public school teacher or an  
40 employee of the Maine Community College System on leave of  
42 absence to serve in the Legislature is eligible to become a  
benefit recipient of the Maine State Retirement System upon the  
termination of the teaching position and leave of absence even if  
the individual continues to serve as a Legislator.

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**