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House of Representatives, February 12, 2007

An Act To Limit Expenditures by Political Action Committees

Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative GROSE of Woolwich. Cosponsored by Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BLANCHETTE of Bangor, MacDONALD of Boothbay, PERRY of Calais, RINES of Wiscasset, SMITH of Monmouth, VALENTINO of Saco, WATSON of Bath.

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

Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §1056, sub-§1, as amended by PL 2001, c. 430, §10, is
 further amended to read:

Aggregate expenditures. A committee may not make contributions in support of
 or against the candidacy of one person aggregating more than \$500 in any election for a
 gubernatorial candidate, or \$250 in any election for any other candidate.

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SUMMARY

8 Current law limits expenditures by political action committees in support of a
9 candidate. This bill limits in the same amount expenditures by political action committees
10 against a candidate.