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An Act To Prohibit a Maine Clean Election Act Candidate from Recruiting a Primary Opponent

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

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Presented by Representative HINCK of Portland.

Cosponsored by Representatives: BABBIDGE of Kennebunk, CANAVAN of Waterville,
CLARK of Millinocket, DILL of Cape Elizabeth, DRISCOLL of Westbrook, HILL of York,
SAVIELLO of Wilton, WALCOTT of Lewiston.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 21-A MRSA §1125, sub-§15** is enacted to read:

3 **15. Prohibited acts.** A certified candidate or a participating candidate may not
4 directly or indirectly recruit or attempt to recruit an opposing candidate in a primary
5 election.

6 **SUMMARY**

7 This bill prohibits a Maine Clean Election Act candidate or a candidate who is
8 seeking to become a Maine Clean Election Act candidate from directly or indirectly
9 recruiting or attempting to recruit an opposing candidate in a primary election.