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L.D. 859

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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
130TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 627,  
L.D. 859, "An Act To Allow Municipalities To Use Ranked-choice Voting in Municipal  
Elections"

Amend the amendment in section 1 in subsection 10 in the 2nd line (page 1, line 18 in  
amendment) by striking out the following: "annual meeting" and inserting the following:  
'election'

Amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or  
section number to read consecutively.

SUMMARY

This amendment permits municipalities to adopt a different method of determining the  
secret ballot election of town officials or municipal referenda elections if done so in a  
municipal meeting held at least 180 days before the election.

The committee amendment requires the different method to be adopted at least 180  
days before the annual meeting.

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SENATE AMENDMENT