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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H. P. 157, L. D. 204, Resolve, Proposing
an Amendment to the Constitution Changing the Tenure
of Office of the Governor to Four-Year Terms.

Amend said Resolve by striking out in the 3rd and 4th lines of that part designated "Section 2" the underlined words "and shall not be eligible to succeed himself" and inserting in place thereof the following underlined sentence:

'The person who has served two consecutive popular elective terms of office as Governor shall be ineligible to succeed himself.'

Further amend said Resolve by striking out the second paragraph of that part which relates to form of question and date when amendment shall be voted upon and inserting in place thereof the following:

'"Shall the Constitution, which now provides for a two-year term for Governor, be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature, to a four-year term with a further limitation that he shall not succeed himself after two such successive terms."'

Reported by 7 Members of the Committee on Constitutional Amendments. (Report A)

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