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LD 1481 / SP0507

An Act To Amend the Laws Governing the Enactment Procedures for Ordinances. Presented by Senator BROMLEY of Cumberland; Cosponsored by Representative KOFFMAN of Bar Harbor and Senators: COWGER of Kennebec, DAMON of Hancock, Representatives: EBERLE of South Portland, PIOTTI of Unity, WOODBURY of Yarmouth. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on State and Local Government. Public Hearing 04/15/05. Majority (OTP-AM) Accepted 04/13/06. Amended by: CC S-437, SC/CC S-554. Enacted. Final Disposition: Held By Governor and Died at End of Session (Pocket Veto) 06/05/06.

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