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HOUSE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to S.P. 52, L.D. 159, Bill, “An Act To Foster Economic Development by Improving Administration of the Laws Governing Site Location of Development and Storm Water Management”

Amend the amendment by inserting after section 2 the following:

Sec. 3. 38 MRSA §480-BB, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 2005, c. 116, §5, is amended to read:

1. Definition of buffer area. Include a definition of the buffer area to be regulated. For purposes of this section, significant vernal pool habitat consists of a significant vernal pool and that portion of the critical terrestrial habitat within 150 feet of the spring or fall high-water mark of the vernal pool depression;

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

SUMMARY

This amendment provides that significant vernal pool habitat consists of the significant vernal pool and critical terrestrial habitat within 150 feet of the spring or fall high-water mark of the vernal pool depression.

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