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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 356, L.D. 551, “An Act to Strengthen Maine Citizens' Second Amendment Rights by Allowing the Discharge of Firearms on Private Property That Is Within 500 Feet of School Property in Certain Circumstances”

Amend the bill by striking out all of section 1 and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §6552, sub-§2, ¶D is enacted to read:

D. The prohibition on discharge of a firearm does not apply to a person acting pursuant to Title 17-A, section 104, subsection 3.'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, provides that the prohibition on the discharge of a firearm within 500 feet of a school does not apply to a person acting pursuant to the laws governing the use of force in defense of premises.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT