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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 363, L.D. 519, Bill, “An Act To Clarify Occupancy for Tents, Campers, Trailers and Other Devices used for Camping in Unorganized Townships”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act To Allow the Storage of Tents, Campers, Trailers and Other Devices Used for Camping in Campgrounds in the Unorganized Townships'

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §685-C, sub-§12 is enacted to read:

12. Campground storage. The commission may not limit the number of days a person may store an unoccupied camping device at a lawfully existing camping location within a campground permitted by the commission or a campground that is a nonconforming use. For the purposes of this subsection, "camping device" means a tent, registered tent trailer, registered pickup camper, registered recreational vehicle, registered trailer or similar device lawfully used for camping.'

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill and changes the title. The amendment provides that the Maine Land Use Planning Commission may not limit the number of days a person may store an unoccupied camping device at a lawfully existing camping location within a campground permitted by the commission or a campground that lawfully existed at the time of district regulation and does not currently conform to district regulations.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT