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House of Representatives, January 31, 2017

An Act To Amend the Charter of the Southwest Harbor Water and Sewer District

Reference to the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Technology suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative KUMIEGA of Deer Isle. Cosponsored by Senator LANGLEY of Hancock.

1 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

2 Sec. 1. P&SL 2015, c. 11, §14, first ¶ is amended to read:

3 All the affairs of the district must be managed by a board of $\frac{3}{5}$ 5 trustees. One of the 4 trustees must be the town manager for the Town of Southwest Harbor. If the town manager position is vacated and in the absence of an acting town manager, the board of 5 selectmen shall appoint a resident of the Town of Southwest Harbor to serve as a trustee 6 7 until the town manager position is filled. The remaining $2\frac{4}{4}$ trustees must be residents of the Town of Southwest Harbor who are appointed by the board of selectmen. No 8 9 member of the board of selectmen may, during the term for which the member is elected, be appointed as a trustee of the district. The appointed trustees shall hold office for terms 10 of 3 years and until their respective successors are appointed and qualified. Upon 11 appointment of the first board, the board of selectmen shall determine the terms of the 2 12 appointed trustees. 13

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SUMMARY

15 This bill increases from 3 to 5 the number of trustees of the Southwest Harbor Water 16 and Sewer District.