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Amendment

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Offered by:
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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 913

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"AN ACT CONCERNING UNITED STATES SENATE VACANCIES."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Section 9-211 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

5 In case of a vacancy in the office of senator in Congress, the
6 Governor is empowered to fill such vacancy by appointment as herein
7 provided. If such vacancy occurs one hundred fifty or more days prior
8 to a state election, the appointee shall serve until the third day of
9 January following such election, and at such election there shall be
10 elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if any,
11 of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than one
12 hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated does not
13 expire on the third day of January following such election, the
14 appointee shall serve until the third day of January following the next
15 such election but one, and at such next election but one there shall be

16 elected a senator in Congress to serve for the remaining portion, if any,
 17 of the term vacated. If such vacancy occurs within less than one
 18 hundred fifty days of a state election and the term vacated expires on
 19 the third day of January following, the appointee shall serve until such
 20 third day of January. Any person appointed pursuant to this section
 21 shall be: (1) Of the same political party as the person who vacated said
 22 office, and (2) enrolled in such political party for a period of not less
 23 than one year prior to such appointment."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	9-211