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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-376)

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1433, L.D. 1636, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the School Finance Law."

Amend the bill by striking out all of sections 2, 5, 6, 8 and 10.

Further amend the bill in section 9, subsection 3, paragraph A, by striking out in the first sentence the amount "\$135" and inserting in its place the following: '\$125'

Further amend the bill in section 9, subsection 3, paragraph D, by striking out all of subparagraph (3).

Further amend the bill by renumbering the sections to read consecutively.

Statement of Fact

The purposes of this amendment are to:

- 1. Delete provisions that protect towns in school districts from having to raise more than their share of the district's state-local allocation;
- 2. Delete the requirement that the Legislature adjust the local leeway provision annually to ensure that the state's share

remains at 40%;

- 3. Change the per pupil amount for the local leeway provision to \$125; and
 - 4. Delete the appropriation section.

(Trotzky

COUNTY: Penobscot

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