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	SECOND REGULAR S	ESSION
(	ONE HUNDRED AND TENT	H LEGISLATURE
Legislative Doc	ument	No. 1967
Joint Rule 26. Referred t Sent up for cond	House of Representa for introduction by the Legisla o the Committee on Aging, Recurrence and ordered printed.	
	STATE OF MAIN	E
	IN THE YEAR OF OUI	
	ACT to Permit Maine Emplo of Orono to Withdraw from Retirement System.	the Maine State
Be it enacted	by the People of the State	e of Maine as follows:
authorized; called "the d trict in the	district," presently a pa e Maine State Retireme ystem," is authorized to in the system upon th	of Orono, hereinaft articipating local di ent System, hereinaft withdraw from furth
of the Board held meeting cer of the	ndrawal shall be accomplish of Selectmen at any dul- thereof. Upon the vote, district shall certify the and the withdrawal shall be	y warned, called a , the chief fiscal of e vote to the truste

1 the last day of the calendar month in which the certificate 2 is received by the trustees.

Sec. 2. Certain withdrawals of contributions authorized. Any employee of the town who has made contributions to the system may withdraw the contributions in the manner provided by the Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1096, as amended; provided that an application for the withdrawal shall be made not later than one year after the effective date of withdrawal by the town from the system.

## Sec. 3. Effect of withdrawal.

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- 1. Any employee of the town who withdraws his contribution may not be a participant in the Maine State Retirement System as an employee of the Town of Orono.
  - 2. Notwithstanding any provision of Title 5, chapter 101, persons who begin employment after the effective date of withdrawal of the town from the system shall be given the option of participating in the Maine State Retirement System.
  - The Town of Orono shall continue to be a local participating district for those former employees who receiving retirement or allowances who are eligible for retirement benefits and all employees as of the date of withdrawal who have not withdrawn their contributions from the system or persons beginning employment after effective date of withdrawal who elect to be participants in the Maine State Retirement System. For the purposes of this subsection, those employees remaining in the system and the Town of Orono are subject to the Revised Statutes, Title 5, chapter 101.
  - 4. Any options available to the district under the provisions of Title 5, chapter 101 and the provisions of any amendments to that chapter which take effect subsequent to the effective date of withdrawal of the town may be accepted by the town for those employees who participate in the system.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to permit the Town of Orono to withdraw from the Maine State Retirement System.

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