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House of Representatives, January 28, 2025

An Act to Raise the Limit on the Total Number of Public Charter Schools

Reference to the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative DRINKWATER of Milford. Cosponsored by Senator BRADSTREET of Kennebec and Representatives: COLLINS of Sidney, QUINT of Hodgdon.

1	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2 3	Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §2405, sub-§10, as enacted by PL 2019, c. 307, §2, is amended to read:
4 5 6 7	10. Limit on number of public charter schools. No more than 10 public charter schools may operate at any time. Any time the cap is reached, the commissioner may not accept further registrations from the commission or from local school boards and collaboratives of local school boards cap increases by one.
8	SUMMARY
9 10	This bill requires that when the cap on the number of public charter schools allowed is reached, the cap increases by one.