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S.P. 155

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An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Create the School Capital Improvement Fund

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DAREK M. GRANT Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland. Cosponsored by Representative BOYER of Cape Elizabeth and Senators: HAGGAN of Penobscot, LIBBY of Cumberland, PIERCE of Cumberland, TEPLER of Sagadahoc, Representative: HEPLER of Woolwich.

| 1 | Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:                                |
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| 2 | CONCEPT DRAFT  |
| 3 | SUMMARY  |
| 4 | This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208.                                     |
| 5 | This bill would authorize a General Fund bond issue in order to create the School            |
| 6 | Capital Improvement Fund. The fund would be available to any school district, subject to     |
| 7 | eligibility criteria such as the condition and age of the school facility to be renovated or |
| 8 | replaced. Funds would be available to school districts on a one-to-one matching basis.       |