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Senate Amendment "A" to S. P. 164, L. D. 403, Bill "An Act to Create and Establish a Four-Year Medical School in the State of Maine to be Known as "The Medical College of Maine," a School of Medicine of the University of Maine."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of the Title thereof, and inserting in place thereof, the following: "An Act Creating a Commission to Study the Need for a Medical School."

Further amend said Bill by striking out all after the enacting clause thereof, and inserting in place thereof, the following:

'Sec. 1. Commission, members; vacancies, how filled. There is hereby created a commission of 9 members to be appointed by the governor, with the approval of the council, as follows: 3 members from the board of trustees of the University of Maine on nomination by said board of trustees; 3 members from the Maine Medical Association upon nomination by the councillors of said Medical Association; 3 members representing the public, residents of this state, to serve until completion of the duties hereby imposed; vacancies to be filled from selections made in accordance with the foregoing provisions.

Sec. 2. Duties. It shall be the duty of said commission to investigate and study:

- I. The feasibility and desirability of the establishment, construction, equipping, operation and location of a medical school in the state of Maine;
- II. The probable cost of such construction and equipping and the probable cost of operation of said school thereafter;
- III. The possibility of financial aid from private sources, foundations and endowments;
- IV. The probable number of students who might be expected to register for study in such a school if established and particularly the number of residents of Maine who might desire so to enroll.

Said commission shall consult with such architects, contractors and others having knowledge of building construction and make such payments to such persons, within the limits of the appropriation herein, as may be proper.

Sec. 3. Assistance. The commission is hereby authorized to employ whatever assistance it deems necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

Sec. 4. Appropriation. For the purpose of paying the expenses of the commission in carrying out the duties hereby imposed, the sum of \$1,000 from the general fund of the state is hereby appropriated which shall be used in payment of the actual expenses of said commission or any member thereof in discharge of said duties and in payment for the services of such other persons as are authorized herein.

Sec. 5. Report. The commission shall report its findings and recommendations to the secretary of the senate of the 93rd legislature by December 1, 1948.'

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