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In Senate, March 3, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Education, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Butler of Franklin

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Regrouping of Towns in Supervisory Unions.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 37, § 68, amended. The first 5 sentences of section 68 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 56 of chapter 266 of the public laws of 1951, are hereby amended to read as follows:

'It shall be the duty of the commissioner and the state board of education to regroup all the towns in the state, except as herein provided, into unions for the purpose of employing superintendents of schools. Such supervisory unions as have been formed on June 30, 1946 may be dissolved by the commissioner for the purpose of a more advantageous combination, provided that there has been obtained the approval of a majority vote of the members of the superintending school committees in the towns comprising such supervisory unions. Such approval shall not be required if the superintendent receives a salary of less more than \$3,500 the average for the state for the preceding year ending June 30. Regroupings shall be made only when vacancies in the office of superintendent occur by death, resignation or failure of reelection upon the expiration of the current contract of the superintendent, or under conditions which will safeguard the provisions

of such contract. Whenever ~~such~~ regroupings are made, the commissioner and the state board of education shall have authority to reallocate any town or towns in the unions affected to unions already organized.'