

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 101st LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 25, L.D. 49, Bill, "An Act Repealing Supplemental State Aid for Reorganized School Districts."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

"Sec. 1. R.S., c. 41, §237-E, amended. The last sentence of the 6th paragraph of section 237-E of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 18 of chapter 353 of the public laws of 1959, is amended to read as follows:

'During the next succeeding biennium bienniums a School Administrative District, regardless of the previous net operating ests-ef the-subordinate-administrative-units expenditures, shall receive its subsidy based on the average net foundation program of the district plus the additional bonus as provided in section 237-G.'

Sec. 2. R.S., c. 41, §237-G, amended. The first paragraph of section 237-G of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 443 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

'When administrative units are reorganized by the formation of "School Administrative Districts" as provided in sections 111-A to 111-U-1, the state subsidy paid annually to each such district, as determined in section 237-E, shall be supplemented by an additional 10%-of-that amount in accordance with the following schedule.

Ten per cent during the first 3 years of operation; 6 2/3% per year during the 4th, 5th and 6th years of operation; 3 1/3% per year during the 7th, 8th and 9th years of operation. No supplemental aid under this section from the 10th year and thereafter.

All School Administrative Districts formed prior to January 1, 1964 shall receive the 10% additional subsidy until January 1, 1967. All School Administrative Districts formed prior to January 1, 1964 shall have the supplemental aid cut to 6 2/3% in 1967 and 3 1/3% in 1970, with no supplemental aid under this section after January 1, 1973.'"

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