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## ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Easton of Winterport.

#### STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

#### AN ACT Repealing Supplemental State Aid for Reorganized School Districts.

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

R. S., c. 41, § 237-G, repealed. Section 237-G of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 364 and as repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 443, both of the public laws of 1957, and as amended, is repealed as follows:

"See. 237-G. Supplemental state aid for reorganized districts. 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 the event that the School Administrative District, within 4 years of the time of its formation, fails to provide the following, the additional bonus payable under this section shall not be paid the district thereafter until such time as such provisions are made:

- I. Program. A program which includes pre-primary or kindergarten through grade 12;
- II. Secondary facility. One secondary facility serving all of the pupils in grades 9 through 12 in the district. Said facility may be constituted as a 4 year school, or combined with grades 7 and 8 to form a 6-year school or 2 or more 3 year schools, except for children living remote from a public school as provided in section 93.

### STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Department of Education has requested \$922,000 for the next biennium for supplemental state aid for reorganized school districts. This bill, by repealing the aid, will save nearly \$1,000,000 of state funds.