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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Attending Secondary School Outside of Residence.

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

R. S., T. 20, § 1291, amended. Section 1291 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end of the first paragraph the following:

‘Any youth whose parent or guardian maintains a home for his family in an administrative unit that maintains, or contracts for school privileges in, an approved secondary school in which the average daily membership, as reported in the preceding year, is less than 100 students and who has met the qualifications for admission to the high school in his town, may elect to attend some other approved secondary school in the State to which he may gain admission for the purpose of studying or of completing at least a 2-year course in mathematics, science or a foreign language not offered or contracted for by the administrative unit of his legal residence. Any pupil for whom tuition payment has been denied by the superintending school committee may appeal to the Commissioner of Education for a decision and any payment found to be rightly due shall be adjusted as provided for such cases in section 1292. Except in case of change in the legal residence of the student to a different administrative unit, transfer from one secondary school to another may be made only at the beginning of the school year.’