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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 56 House of Representatives, January 17, 1967 Referred to Committee on Education. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Pendergast of Kennebunkport.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Exceptional Children

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

R. S., T. 20, § 3111, amended. The last sentence of section 3111 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is repealed, as follows:

Special classes in public schools are to include educable children only.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Administrative units are now responsible for payment of the local per capita cost to private schools for the education of trainable retarded children without the privilege of operating such a class or having any voice in the management of such programs. This Act would make it possible for a unit to operate a school or for private schools to arrange with a local administrative unit for the operation and administration of schools for trainable retarded children.