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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 474

S. P. 211 In Senate, February 1, 1967 Referred to Committee on Education. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary Presented by Senator Snow of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Reimbursement for Professional Educational Credits.

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

R. S., T. 20, § 1902, repealed and replaced. Section 1902 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

\$ 1902. Certificate renewal

The renewal of each teaching certificate shall be conditional on the completion of at least 6 semester hours of professional study within each period of 5 years, excepting that

- 1. Teachers qualifying for standard grade certificates. Teachers qualifying for standard grade certificates, completing 18 semester hours of post-baccalaureate study, and teaching successfully for not less than 4 years, and
- 2. Certified teachers. Certified teachers who have taught successfully for not less than 25 years may be declared eligible to a 10-year term certificate, renewal of which being conditional upon the presentation of evidence of professional improvement acceptable to the commissioner.

If the employment of teachers under permits or other special licenses is authorized by the state board, the said board shall have the authority to prescribe minimum salaries and other regulations for this class of teachers.