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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
103rd LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 213, L. D. 476, Bill, "An Act
Relating to School Entrance Age Requirements."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of the 2nd, 3rd and
4th paragraphs (same in L. D. 476) and inserting in place thereof
the following:

'In the public schools of the State only those children who
are or will become 6 years of age on or before ~~October-15th~~
September 1st of the school year shall be admitted to grade one.

In schools which offer a ~~one-year-childhood-education-program~~
~~prior-to-grade-one~~ kindergarten program, only those children
who will be 5 years of age on or before ~~October-15th~~
September 1st of the school year shall be admitted, ~~except that~~
~~not more than 5 pilot programs related to school entrance age~~
~~may be administered locally with approval of the State Board of~~
~~Education during the 1965-66, 1966-67 school years only.~~ --Grade
one age limitations shall not apply to children participating in
these pilot programs.

In schools which offer a ~~2-year-childhood-education-program~~
~~prior-to-grade-one~~ kindergarten and prekindergarten program, only
those children who will be 4 years of age on or before ~~October-15th~~
September 1st of the school year shall be admitted.'

Proposed by Senator SNOW of Cumberland.

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