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H. P. 542 Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Including Employees of the State Principals Association Under State Retirement System.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1092, sub-§ 1, amended. The first 3 sentences of subsection 1 of section 1092 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 41 of the public laws of 1965, are further amended to read as follows:

The employees of any county, city, town, water district, public library corporation or any other quasi-municipal corporation of the State, the civilian employees of the Maine National Guard, employees of the Maine State Employees Association, Maine State Employees Credit Union, the State Principals Association, or of Maine Municipal Association, may participate in the retirement system, to the full extent of any and all benefits provided for in this chapter provided the county commissioners, or the city council or corresponding body of a city, or the voters of a town at a duly constituted town meeting, or the trustees of a water district, public library corporation or other quasi-municipal corporation, the Adjutant General, or Maine State Employees Association through its board of directors, or Maine State Employees Credit Union through its board of directors, or the State Principals Association through its executive committee, or the active member municipalities of Maine Municipal Association through its executive committee, approve such participation and file with the board of trustees a duly certified copy of the resolution of the county commissioners or of the city council or such corresponding body approving such participation and the extent of the benefits which shall apply, or a record of the vote of the town voters certified by the clerk of the town meeting. Such county, city, town, water district, public library corporation or other quasi-municipal corporation. Maine State Employees Association, Maine State Employees Credit Union, State

Principals Association, Maine National Guard or Maine Municipal Association, approving the participation of its employees in the retirement system shall thereafter be known for the purposes of this chapter as "a participating local district." Such county, city, town, water district, public library corporation or other quasi-municipal corporation, Maine National Guard, Maine State Employees Association, or Maine State Employees Credit Union, or State Principals Association, or Maine Municipal Association, shall designate in their approval any class of employees, otherwise provided for by local pension provisions, who may be exempted from this chapter.

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STATEMENT OF FACTS

The State Principals Association is an organization of the secondary school principals of the State of Maine who have united to promote and regulate all educationally valuable interscholastic activities in our secondary schools.

The work of the Association has grown to the point where it has become necessary to employ a full-time executive secretary. This is a highly responsible, professional position and candidates normally would be sought among the secondary school principals of the State.

In order to facilitate the employment of qualified persons who normally would be members of the Maine State Retirement System, this amendment is offered.