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SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1255

House of Representatives, January 9, 1968

Referred to Committee on Education. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Durgin of Raymond.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-EIGHT

AN ACT Relating to Schooling for Children Resident at Private Tax-Exempt Institutions.

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

R. S., T. 20, § 3742, additional. Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 3742, to read as follows:

§ 3742. Children resident at private tax-exempt institutions

Any child between the ages of 5 and 21, who resides at a private tax-exempt institution within this State, shall have the right to attend the public schools in the administrative unit in which such institution is located under the same conditions as pupils residing in such administrative unit, and shall for the purposes of this section be classed as resident pupils, and the administrative unit shall be paid from the appropriation for general-purpose aid the net local cost of educating such children at each elementary or secondary school attended by them. The net local cost of educating such children shall include only those school operating expenses paid by the administrative unit on account of such children enumerated in section 3721, subsection 2, and shall be computed for each school on the basis of financial reports and school enrollment figures required by and filed with the Commissioner of Education during each school year ending June 30th. Payments shall be made to each administrative unit annually during the month of December following the end of the school year.