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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
104th LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 458, L. D. 595, Bill,  
"AN ACT Relating to Age Requirement for Kindergartens."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

'R. S., T. 20, §859, amended. The first, 2nd and 3rd paragraphs of section 859 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, are further amended to read as follows:

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, only those children who will be 5 years of age on or before October-15th September 1st of the school year shall be admitted.

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

Reported by a Majority of the Committee on Education.

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