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STATE OF MAINE SENATE 104th LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1309, L.D. 1623, Bill, "AN ACT to Clarify the Education Laws and Subsidy Payments."

Amend said Bill by inserting after the enacting clause (same in L.D.) the following:

'Sec. 1. R. S., T. 20, §222, amended. Section 222 of
Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended
by adding after the 6th paragraph, a new paragraph, as follows:

In addition, the State Board of Education is authorized to prepare agreements to add a town or towns to School Administrative Districts and to prepare agreements to combine 2 or more existing districts. If such an action is taken, the board shall direct that the towns and districts involved vote on the agreements which have been prepared on a specified date in accordance with the usual town meeting procedures or district meetings. Districts shall follow the procedures used in section 226 for the calling of a district budget meeting. The town clerk of the municipality and the secretary of the School Administrative District shall certify the results of the vote to the State Board of Education. The board shall make a finding of fact on the votes and take appropriate action in accordance with the votes of the units.'

Further amend said Bill by renumbering sections 1 to 16 to be sections 2 to 17.

Proposed by Senator KATZ of Kennebec.

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