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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 766

S. P. 260

In Senate, February 12, 1971

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

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Katz of Kennebec.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

**AN ACT Relating to Chairman and Terms of Members of State Board of
Education.**

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 20, § 51, amended. Section 51 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding after the first sentence a new sentence to read as follows:

The chairman of the board shall be named annually by the Governor.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 20, § 51, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 51 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

The members shall serve for a term of ~~5~~ 4 years and until their successors shall have been duly appointed and qualified.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to have the chairman of the State Board of Education named by the Governor and have the terms of the members of the board be for 4 rather than 5 years.