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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
106TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 196, L.D. 269, Bill, "AN ACT  
Relating to Bridge Academy."

Amend said Bill by inserting before the enacting clause, the  
following emergency preamble:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not  
become effective until 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature  
unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, amendments to bylaws of organizations wishing to qualify  
for tax exemption must be made within 90 days of the issuance of  
an Internal Revenue Service rule; and

Whereas, a rule governing Bridge Academy is about to be issued;  
and

Whereas, the 90 days mentioned in the first paragraph would have  
passed before this Act could become effective under normal legislative  
process; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create  
an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and  
require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the  
preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend said Bill by inserting at the end before the  
Statement of Fact the following emergency clause:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the  
preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.'

*(Filing No. H-52)*

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide for an emergency clause.

Reported by the Committee on Legal Affairs.

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