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ONE HUNDRED ANDSIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 539

S. P. 194 In Senate, February 1, 1973 Referred to the Committee on Education. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Aldrich of Oxford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to School Water Supplies.

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

R. S., T. 22, § 2439, additional. Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2439 to read as follows:

§ 2439 School water supplies

Sections 2434 and 2435 shall not apply to any water supply operated by or on behalf of any School Administrative District, community school system, school committee or other public school system, when such supply serves only a school building or other buildings under the control of such school system. The trustees, directors, committee or other governing body such school districts, systems or committees shall be deemed authorized, subject to the rules and regulations of the department, to add fluoride to such water supplies, and no provision of this chapter shall be deemed to prohibit the addition of fluoride to such water supplies by any such School Administrative District, community school system, school committee or other public school system.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this bill, subject to the approval of appropriate school authorities, to permit the addition of fluor de in school water supplies.