

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 786

H. P. 595 House of Representatives, February 12, 1973
Referred to Committee on Education. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Faucher of Solon.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

**AN ACT Relating to Costs for Students from Geographically Isolated
Administrative School Units Attending Regional Technical Vocational
Centers.**

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 20, § 2356-B, sub-§ 2, amended. Subsection 2 of section 2356-B of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 3 of chapter 440 of the public laws of 1965, and as amended, is further amended by adding a new paragraph at the end to read as follows:

Any out-of-school youth not completing high school or any high school graduate from any geographically isolated school administrative unit, as defined by the State Board of Education, may attend any regional technical-vocational center of his choice at no tuition cost to himself or the school administrative unit where he lives, providing he enrolls not later than the September following his leaving school. The commissioner is authorized to pay the necessary tuition expenses for such students from funds appropriated for that purpose. Schools providing services for such students shall immediately notify the commissioner upon enrolling such a student or students.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$18,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1973-74	1974-75
EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF		
Vocational Education		
Tuition Payments	\$9,000	\$9,000

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill would authorize the State Board of Education to provide an opportunity for any out-of-school youth not completing high school or high school graduate from any school administrative unit, as defined by the State Board of Education, to attend any regional technical-vocational center of his choice at no cost to him or his school administrative unit.