

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 475

H. P. 376

House of Representatives, January 30, 1975

Speaker laid before the House, was referred to Committee on Health and Institutional Services. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Curran of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to the Provision of Aftercare Services to Entrusted Juveniles.

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

15 MRSA, § 2716, 2nd ¶, as amended by PL 1969, c. 590, § 20, is further amended by adding at the end the following new sentence:

For the purpose of providing the most efficient program of continuing assistance from the State's juvenile institutions to entrusted juveniles, the Boys Training Center may provide aftercare and entrustment services to juveniles committed to the Stevens School.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill more clearly authorizes the Boys Training Center to extend the services of its existing aftercare program to juveniles served by the Stevens School, where, because of the very small size of the Stevens School population, both in residence and on entrustment, the establishment of an adequate aftercare program for entrusted juveniles is impractical.

The bill enables administrative implementation of recommendation #17 of the report of the Governor's Task Force on Corrections.