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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
107TH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P.
1069, L.D. 1349, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Teacher
Certification."

Amend said amendment by striking out all of that part
designated "§59." and inserting in place thereof the
following:

'§59. Certification of teachers

The State Board of Education shall, in accordance with
such rules and regulations as it may prescribe, authorize the
Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services to certify
and revoke the certification of teachers and other professional
personnel for service in any public school in the State, or
in any nonpublic school which accepts public funds for
tuition or is approved for attendance purposes under section
911. The State Board of Education may, in accordance with
such rules and regulations as it prescribes, authorize
the Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services to
certify adult education teachers and other teaching and
professional personnel in publicly supported education programs
other than those in the public schools, post-high school
institutes, colleges and universities. The State Board of
Education shall, in accordance with such rules and regulations
as it prescribes, authorize the Commissioner of Educational
and Cultural Services to approve the employment of teacher
aides, teacher assistants or other semiprofessional personnel

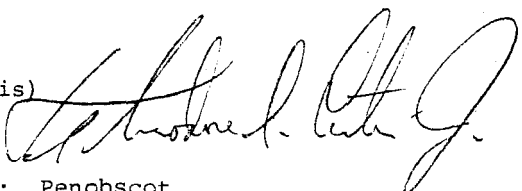
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for service in the kinds of schools described in this section.
The State Board of Education may have the advice in matters
of certification of a body of qualified practitioners and
representatives of the public to be appointed by the
Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services in accordance
with rules established by the State Board of Education. This
advisory body shall review proposed changes in rules and
regulations which relate to certification and revocation of
certification of school personnel and which have been drafted
by the Department of Educational and Cultural Services for
presentation to the State Board of Education.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to place the responsibility for the certification and decertification of school personnel under the control of the State Board of Education, to specify the involvement of the Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services in these processes and to make a body of practitioners and representatives of the public advisory to the State Board of Education.

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