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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
107TH LEGISLATURE
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(Filing No. H-1130)

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 651,
L.D. 2056, Bill, "AN ACT to Clarify Certain Provisions in the
Education Laws."

Amend said Amendment by striking out all of the last
sentence of the 24th paragraph and inserting in place thereof
the following:

'The tuition rate thus determined shall be adjusted by the average
change in public secondary education costs for the 2 years
immediately prior to the school year for which the tuition is
computed, except that the adjustment shall be limited to a 10%
increase.'

Statement of Fact

Under the committee amendment, a town receiving students
from another town may increase tuition from the sending town
by up to 6%. As we are currently in a time of severe inflation,
and as there may be other unforeseen factors which makes the 6%
figure too limiting, there is a need to increase the percentage
by which tuition may be increased. This amendment permits an
increase of up to 10%.

Filed by Mr. Pearson of Old Town.

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