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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 48, L.D. 69, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Conferring Degrees by Husson College."

Amend the Bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting in its place the following: 'Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. P&SL 1953, c. 11, as last amended by P&SL 1969, c. 213, is further amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

In addition to the rights, privileges and powers granted to Husson College by chapter 11 of the private and special laws of 1953, as amended by chapter 15 of the private and special laws of 1963, as amended by chapter 121 of the private and special laws of 1965, as amended by chapter 90 of the private and special laws of 1969, as amended by chapter 213 of the private and special laws of 1969, Husson College, a nonprofit corporation of Bangor, Maine, is authorized, by appropriate action of its trustees, to confer upon all who successfully complete such course of study as those trustees may prescribe, within the scope customarily established by colleges offering a graduate curriculum, the degree of Master of Science in Business.

Sec. 2. Effective date. The first degree of Master of Science in Business shall be awarded no earlier than May, 1979.

Sec. 3. Review. No later than December 1, 1977, the Evaluation Committee for the State Board of Education shall revisit Husson College to review this program and shall report its findings to the 108th Legislature's Committee on Education.' COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 48, L.D. 69

Statement of Fact

This amendment authorizes Husson College to grant the graduate degree of Master of Science in Business, only. It also changes the effective date from May, 1978 to May, 1979. Finally, it provides a mechanism for a review of the college's program in the fall of 1977.

Reported by the Committee on Education.

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