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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 67, L.D. 92, Bill, "AN ACT to Increase the Number of Teachers Allowable in Certain Administrative Units under the Education Laws."

Amend the Bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 20 MRSA §151, sub-§4, as last amended by PL 1973, c. 571, §15, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

'4. Less than 35 teachers. If an administrative unit or a supervisory union employs less than 35 teachers and, because of geographic location or other circumstances, it is not practicable to combine it with other administrative units to form a supervisory unit as authorized in this section, the board of directors or the school committee may provide supervisory service, subject to the approval of the commissioner, in one of the following ways:

A. The administrative unit or supervisory union may employ a qualified person to serve as superintendent of schools and as a supervising principal;

B. The administrative unit or supervisory union may contract with another district or union for supervisory services; or

C. The administrative unit or supervisory union may employ a qualified agent to fulfill supervisory needs.'

Sec. 2. 20 MRSA §151, sub-§5, as last amended by PL 1973,
c. 783, §1, is repealed.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide for administration
of small or isolated school units.

Reported by the Committee on Education.

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