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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 108TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION (Filing No. H-32)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 100, L.D. 124, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to School Age under the Education Laws."

Amend the Bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. 20 MRSA §859, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 746, §12-B,
is further amended by inserting after the 2nd paragraph the
following:

Notwithstanding the age requirements of this section, a pupil who was enrolled in a public kindergarten or in grade 1 in another state may be admitted to kindergarten or to grade 1, respectively, in the administrative unit/which his parents or guardian establish their residency. Also, notwithstanding the age requirements of this section, a pupil who was enrolled in a public kindergarten in another state and was promoted to grade 1 may be admitted to grade 1 in the administrative unit/which his parents or guardian establish their residency.'

Further amend the Bill by renumbering section 2 to be section 3.

Statement of Fact

The intent of this amendment is to permit administrative units to admit students moving into this State to continue their education regardless of the fact that their birth date may come after October 15th of a given year.

P rted by the Committee on Education.

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