

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 248

H. P. 186

House of Representatives, February 3, 1977

Referred to the Committee on Education. Sent up for concurrence and 1,800 copies ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bagley of Winthrop.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Increasing the Pay for Substitute Teachers.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

20 **MRSA** § 1901, 3rd ¶, as repealed and replaced by PL 1967, c. 462, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

Substitute teachers shall be compensated at a rate of not less than \$35 for each day of service.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill will provide for a much-needed increase in the per diem rate of substitute teachers. Not since 1968 has the per diem rate been adjusted which was \$20 per day of service. This has resulted in many school systems finding it virtually impossible to obtain "good" substitute teachers, if at all.