

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
108TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 467,
L.D. 484, Bill, "AN ACT to Amend the School Lunch and Milk
Program."

Amend the Amendment in that part designated "§1053." by
striking out in subsection 9 in the 5th line, the underlined
figure "5" and inserting in its place the following '3'

Further amend the Amendment in that part designated "§1053."
by striking out in subsection 9, all of paragraph B and inserting
in its place the following:

'B. Any one of the following conditions are met:

- (1) It has been documented to the commissioner's satisfaction that the administrative unit lacks space for the program and there is no appropriate alternative source of meals for the students; or
- (2) It is impossible for the administrative unit to contract for or to otherwise procure Type A meals for its students; or
- (3) The lack of need for the program, as determined by the school committee or board of directors, is documented to the commissioner's satisfaction and was evident at the public hearing.'

Further amend the Amendment in that part designated "§1053." in subsection 10 by inserting at the end the following new sentence:

'Whenever 1% of the residents living within the boundaries of the administrative unit petition the commissioner, he shall cause to be called a public hearing on the postponement granted under subsection 9 prior to his next annual review.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment will accomplish the following:

1. Reduce the duration of the postponement from 5 to 3 years;
2. Require as the criteria for postponement the lack of space and there is no appropriate alternative source of meals for its students; and
3. Provide for citizen petition.

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