

(Filing No. H-410)

## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 108TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 907, L.D. 1106, Bill, "AN ACT Concerning the per Pupil Cost of a School Administrative Unit Losing More than 33% of its Enrollment between June and September."

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

'Sec. 1. 20 MRSA §3748, sub-§3, ¶G is enacted to read: G. Any administrative unit which experiences a decrease in enrollment in either elementary or secondary education programs of 33% or greater between April 1st of the base year and October 1st of the year prior to the year of the allocation of funds shall at a minimum be eligible to have its subsidy based on the basic elementary or secondary per pupil operating rate.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated to the Department of Educational and Cultural Services from the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1978, the sum of \$76,671.31 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows: COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 907, L.D. 1106

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All Other

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## Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to provide an appropriation to reimburse units which have experienced a 33% decrease in enrollment within the last year.

Reported by the Committee on Education.

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