



## STATE OF MAINE SENATE 108TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-170)

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1113, L.D. 1372, Bill, "AN ACT to Dissolve Vocational Region 9 and to Establish a Vocational Center to Serve Northern Oxford County."

Amend the Amendment by inserting before the first paragraph the following:

'Amend the Bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble.'

Further amend the Amendment by striking out in the first line the word "Amend" and inserting in its place the following words 'Further amend'

Further amend the Amendment by striking out all cf the last 5 lines and inserting in their place the following:

'Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the emergency clause and inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 7. Effective date. The referendum authorized by section 3 of the Act may be held at any time after enactment but shall be held no later than December 1, 1977. Sections 1, 2 and 4 through 6 shall take effect when approved by a majority of the 6 school units within Vocational Region 9 that includes the Town of Rumford and when the cooperative board files a certificate of the results with the Commissioner of Educational and Cultural Services, but in any case shall not take effect before July 1, 1978.' SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1113, L.D. 1372 -2-

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## Statement of Fact

This amendment provides that the referendum authorized by the bill shall be held between the time of enactment and December 1, 1977, and provides that, if approved, the bill takes effect no earlier than July 1, 1978, in order to aid the complicated fiscal transition and to provide needed time for budget planning.

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