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## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. H-12)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " $\boldsymbol{A}$ " to H.P. 7, L.D. 13, Bill, "AN ACT to Clarify the Requirements Relating to Identification of School Buses."

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

 $^{\prime}29$  MRSA §2020, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 224, is amended to read:

## §2020. Exception

School buses which are operated by a motor carrier holding a certificate of public convenience from the Public Utilities Commission, while transporting school children, shall comply with all of the requirements of school buses, except that they shall be exempted from the vehicle color requirements. School buses which are operated by a transit district as defined in Title 30, section 4977, shall be exempted from the school buse marking, emergency door, lateral seating and color requirements of this subchapter except that the school buses shall continue to use signal lamps as required by section 2012, subsection 1, paragraph D.'

## Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to define a transit district more precisely as a municipal or public body and to require transit district buses to use flashing lights when discharging or receiving students.

Filed by the Majority of the Committee on Transportation Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House January 31, 1979 (Filing No. H-12)