

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 179**

S. P. 93

In Senate, January 25, 1979

Referred to the Committee on Education. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

Presented by Senator Carpenter of Aroostook.

MAY. M. ROSS, Secretary of the Senate

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-NINE

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**AN ACT to Amend the Representation of Towns on Community School Districts.**

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

**20 MRSA § 356** as last amended by PL 1973, c. 783, §§ 14 and 15, is further amended by adding after the 4th sentence the following new sentences.

**If the regular representative or representatives of the school committee are absent from a community school committee meeting, alternates designated by the school committee of each town shall assume the duties of the absent member or members at the meeting with all rights as if they were the regular member or members. No town shall have more than 2 alternates.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

Enactment of this legislation will authorize towns within the community school district to appoint alternates to the district school committee to serve on the committee when members of the committee from their community are absent.