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#### FIRST REGULAR SESSION

#### ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 1084

H. P. 886 House of Representatives, March 8, 1979 Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Gowen of Standish.

Cosponsors: Mrs. Prescott of Hampden, Mr. Kelleher of Bangor and Mr. Smith of Mars Hill.

#### STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT to Authorize a School Nursing Health Consultant in the Department of Educational and Cultural Services.

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

Sec. 1. 20 MRSA § 1135-A is enacted to read:

§ 1135-A. School nursing health consultant

For the purposes of assisting local educational agencies in complying with this subchapter, and other school health responsibilities, there shall be a school nursing health consultant within the Department of Educational and Cultural Services, who shall serve as the liaison between local school nursing personnel and the Division of Public Health Nursing in the Department of Human Services. The school nursing health consultant shall be licensed as a registered nurse in the State and shall have education and experience in school health or community nursing.

**Sec. 2. Appropriation.** The following funds shall be appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act:

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF		1979-80
Positions Personal Services All Other		(1) \$16,000 4,000
	Total	\$20,000

### STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to authorize a school nursing health consultant in the Department of Educational and Cultural Services.