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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-943) 109TH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "**A** " to H.P. 1757, L.D. 1887, Bill, "AN ACT to Authorize Bond Issue in the Amount of \$6,000,000 for Improvements to Vocational-technical Institutes."

Amend the Bill by striking out in the title the figure "\$6,000,000" and inserting in its place the figure '\$7,000,000'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the first and second sentences of section 1 and inserting in their place the following:

'The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor, to issue from time to time serial coupon bonds in the name and behalf of the State to an amount not exceeding \$7,000,000 for the purpose of raising funds to provide for such capital improvements, construction, renovations, equipment and furnishings as authorized by section 6. Any bonds issued pursuant to this authorization shall be issued prior to July 1, 1985.'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the last sentence of section 3 and inserting in its place the following: 'Any unencumbered balances remaining at the completion of the projects in section 6 shall lapse to the debt service account established for the retirement of these bonds.'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of section 6 and inserting in its place the following: COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H.P. 1757, L.D. 1887 -2-

'Sec. 6. Allocations from General Fund bond issue.

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Valley Kennebec/Vocational-fechnical Institute	1980-81
Industrial Trades Building	\$1,980,000
Northern Maine Vocational-fechnical Institute	
Mechanics Trade Building	1,635,600
Southern Maine Vocational-technical Institute	
Machine Tool Mechanics Building	2,384,400
Eastern Maine Vocational-technical Institute	
Reconstruction of roofs	1,000,000

The amount listed after each project is to be construed as a guide and, within departments or agencies any one or more amounts may be exceeded with the approval of the Governor by transfer from one project to another, but in no instance shall a project be reduced by more than 10% of the amount listed.'

Further amend the Bill in the first sentence of the statutory referendum procedure by striking out the word and figures "June 11, 1980" and inserting in their place the word and figures 'June 10, 1980'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the 3rd paragraph from the end before the emergency clause and inserting in its place the following: COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to H.P. 1757, L.D. 1887 -3-

'Shall a bond issue be ratified in the amount of \$7,000,000 for improvements to vocational-technical institutes?'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to correct the year allocation, the election date and to add reconstruction of roofs at Eastern Maine Vocational-technical Institute.

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