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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 366, L.D. 1085, Bill,
"AN ACT to Permit the City of Bangor to Increase the Number of
Members on the Bangor School Committee."

Amend the Bill by inserting before the enacting clause
the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do
not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless
enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Bangor School Committee addresses the budget
of the 3rd largest school system in the State; and

Whereas, an increase in the size of the Bangor School
Committee membership should help in the handling of the school
committee's workload; and

Whereas, the City of Bangor wishes to hold a referendum on
the proposed increase in the school committee's membership as
expeditiously as possible; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend the Bill in section 3, 3rd paragraph, by striking out all of the first sentence.

Further amend the Bill by inserting at the end before the Statement of Fact the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect immediately upon acceptance by a majority vote of the legal voters voting at the election described in section 3.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment changes the bill into emergency legislation.