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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 79

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7 H.P. 61

House of Representatives, January 16, 1985

8 Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested and ordered printed.

9 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

10 Presented by Representative Beaulieu of Portland.

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12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE
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17 AN ACT to Clarify the Negotiability of
18 Insurance Under the Municipal Public
19 Employees Labor Relations Act.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §965, sub-§1, ¶D, as enacted by
24 PL 1969, c. 424, §1, is amended to read:

25 D. To execute in writing any agreements arrived
26 at, the term of any such ~~such~~ agreement to be
27 subject to negotiation but shall not exceed 3
28 years; ~~and~~

29 Sec. 2. 26 MRSA §965, sub-§1, ¶E, as amended by
30 PL 1973, c. 788, §119, is further amended to read:

31 E. To participate in good faith in the media-
32 tion, fact-finding and arbitration procedures re-
33 quired by this section: ; and

1 Sec. 3. 26 MRSA §965, sub-§1, ¶F is enacted to
2 read:

3 F. To clarify that the form, standards, carri-
4 ers, provisions and all other aspects of insur-
5 ance coverage are binding in arbitration.

6 STATEMENT OF FACT

7 Public employers have refused to bargain specific
8 provisions of insurance coverage for school employees
9 including the insurance carrier. This provision
10 clarifies those items that are mandatorily negotia-
11 ble.

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