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L.D. 1645

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
112TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" to
S.P. 628, L.D. 1645, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to the
Administration of Vocational Education."

Amend the Amendment in section 5 in that part
designated "§12554." in subsection 8 in the 2nd line
(page 9, line 5 in Amendment) by striking out the un-
derlined words "and assistant directors" and in the
4th and 5th lines (page 9, lines 7 and 8 in Amend-
ment) by striking out the underlined words "and as-
sistant directors" and in the last line (page 9, line
9 in Amendment) by striking out the underlined word
"commissioner" and inserting in its place the follow-
ing: 'board'

Further amend the Amendment in section 5 in that
part designated "§12555." in the first paragraph in
the 2nd line (page 9, line 20 in Amendment) by strik-
ing out the following: "day-to-day"

Further amend the Amendment in section 5 in that
part designated "§12555." by striking out all of sub-
section 4 and inserting in its place the following:

'4. Oversee the administration of the Maine
vocational-technical institutes. To oversee the ad-
ministration of the institutes;'

Further amend the Amendment in section 5 in that
part designated "§12555." in subsection 6 in the 2nd
line (page 10, line 12 in Amendment) by striking out
the underlined words "and assistant directors"

Further amend the Amendment in section 5 in that
part designated "§12556." in subsection 1 in the 2nd
line (page 11, line 24 in Amendment) by inserting af-

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1 ter the underlined words "for the" the following:
2 'day-to-day'

3 Further amend the Amendment in section 5 in that
4 part designated "§12556." in subsection 1 by insert-
5 ing at the end the following:

6 'A. The directors of each institute shall ap-
7 point assistant directors who shall serve at the
8 pleasure of the director.'

9 Further amend the Amendment in section 5 by in-
10 sserting after that part designated "§12557." the fol-
11 lowing:

12 '§12557-A. Operation of courses at a secondary voca-
13 tional facility; administration; tuition
14 charges

15 1. Courses offered. The board of trustees may
16 institute vocational courses at grade levels 13 and
17 14 which may be operated in vocational centers or vo-
18 cational regions if approved by the State Board of
19 Education.

20 2. Administration. If these courses are not part
21 of an adult education program, they shall be adminis-
22 tered as satellite programs of an institute desig-
23 nated by the State Board of Education.

24 3. Tuition. Tuition for these courses shall be
25 charged directly to the students enrolled, at rates
26 approved by the State Board of Education.

27 Further amend the Amendment in section 17 in sub-
28 section 6 in the 4th and 5th lines (page 29, lines 15
29 and 16 in Amendment) by striking out the following:
30 "or state schools for practical nursing" and insert-
31 ing in its place the following: 'er state schools for
32 practical nursing'

33 Further amend the Amendment in section 22 by

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1 striking out all of subsections 1 and 2 and inserting
2 in their place the following:

3 '1. Appropriations in the form of a lump sum for
4 the vocational-technical institutes;

5 2. The authority and procedures governing per-
6 sonnel and labor relations functions of the
7 vocational-technical institutes for the purpose of
8 providing flexibility in personnel employment and
9 management decisions; and'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

11 This amendment provides that the directors of
12 each institute, who are appointed by the
13 commisisoner, shall serve at the pleasure of the
14 board which is the policy-making authority and has
15 administrative oversight over the institute. The di-
16 rectors of the institutes are authorized to employ
17 assistant directors who serve at the pleasure of the
18 directors.

19 In addition, this amendment provides that the di-
20 rectors have responsibility for the day-to-day opera-
21 tion of the institutes under the direction of the
22 commissioner.

