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6 Legislative Document

No. 1977

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8 H.P. 1401

House of Representatives, February 7, 1986

9 Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council
10 pursuant to Joint Rule 27.

Reference to the Committee on Education suggested and ordered printed.

11 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Hogle of Portland.

12 Cosponsored by Senator Najarian of Cumberland, Representative Coles
of Harpswell and Senator Gill of Cumberland.

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15 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
16 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX
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18 AN ACT to Define Place of Residence for the
19 Transportation of Students to School.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 20-A MRSA §5401, sub-§11, as enacted by PL 1981,
24 c. 693, §§5 and 8, is amended to read:

25 11. Minimum distances. A school board may es-
26 tablish the distance from a school that students must
27 reside to receive transportation. Except as provided
28 for in subsection 7, when a school board uses the
29 distance between a student's place of residence and a
30 school to determine eligibility for busing that dis-
31 tance should be measured from the front door of the
32 residence to the front door of the school.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2 This bill clarifies the definition of residence
3 for the purpose of school boards determining the dis-
4 tance students must live from school in order to re-
5 ceive transportation.

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