

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 783 House of Representatives, April 1, 1987
Reference to the Committee on Education suggested and
ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative WARREN of Scarborough
Cosponsored by Representatives HIGGINS of Scarborough and
TRACY of Rome.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN

1 AN ACT to Clarify the Law Concerning
2 Secondary Education Course Requirement
3 Facilities.
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5 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
6 follows:

7 Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §4722, sub-§6 is enacted to
8 read:

9 6. Facilities. A school administrative unit may
10 not construe the requirements of subsection 2 as
11 mandating construction of new or expanded facilities.

12 Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §15907, sub-§4 is enacted to
13 read:

1 4. Mandated construction. When compliance with
2 any state requirements mandates additional school
3 construction by a local school committee, as deter-
4 mined in writing by the state board, the state reim-
5 bursement for that construction shall be at the over-
6 all percentage utilized for state funding of educa-
7 tion, not at the local reimbursement percentage.

8 STATEMENT OF FACT

9 The purpose of this bill is to clarify that the
10 required courses of study in secondary schools do not
11 require the construction of new or expanded facili-
12 ties, unless indicated by the state board in writing,
13 in which case state reimbursement for that construc-
14 tion shall be at the overall percentage utilized for
15 state funding of education.

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