

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk  
Presented by Representative NORTON of Winthrop.

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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1 AN ACT Relating to Kents Hill School.  
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3 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as  
4 follows:

5 P&SL 1971, c. 159, §2 is amended to read:

6 Sec. 2. - term. The Except as provided in  
7 this section, the term of office of the members of  
8 said the board of trustees shall be 6 years and as  
9 the terms of the trustees expire their successors  
10 shall be elected for a full term of 6 years by the  
11 remaining trustees by majority ballot of those present

1 at the meeting when such election is held, and  
2 vacancies in said the board from whatever cause  
3 arising shall be filled for the unexpired term in the  
4 same manner.. A trustee may succeed himself, if duly  
5 elected.

6 The trustees may provide in the school's bylaws  
7 that the individual serving as president of the  
8 alumni/ae association of the school shall be a voting  
9 member of the board of trustees during that  
10 individual's term of office as president of the  
11 association.

12 STATEMENT OF FACT

13 At its meeting on May 1, 1987, the Kents Hill  
14 School Board of Trustees voted to amend its bylaws to  
15 allow the Kents Hill School Alumni/ae Association  
16 president to serve as a member of the board during  
17 that president's tenure. Because the school's charter  
18 was granted by the Legislature, however, and that  
19 charter does not presently permit the action which the  
20 trustees desire to take place, it will be necessary to  
21 amend Private and Special Law 1971, chapter 159, the  
22 most recent legislative codification of the school's  
23 charter, to permit this action to be taken.

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