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L.D. 2198
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STATE OF MAINE
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SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 1607, L.D. 2198, Bill, "AN ACT to Reduce Special Education Costs to Local School Administrative Units."

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Amend the amendment by striking out everything after the title and inserting in its place the following:

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'Amend the bill in section 4, by striking out all of subsection 10 and inserting in its place the following:

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10. Special education tuition and cost for out-of-district placement adjustment. The following provisions shall apply to payment of tuition, treatment and room and board costs for out-of-district placements. Based on the costs under section 15605, subsection 2, paragraph E, the State shall annually pay each local unit a per pupil adjustment determined by dividing the amount of funds made available to the department for carrying out the purposes of this Act by the number of children in out-of-district placements. The local school administrative unit shall pay the balance. This program shall be phased in based on the annual appropriation for this purpose.'

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Further amend the bill by inserting before the statement of fact the following:

SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to
H.P. 1607, L.D. 2198

1 Sec. 5. Effective date. This Act shall take
2 effect on July 1, 1989.

3 FISCAL NOTE

4 It is estimated that \$600,000 will need to be
5 appropriated for the purposes of this Act in fiscal
6 year 1989-90 and \$900,000 in fiscal year 1990-91.'

7 STATEMENT OF FACT

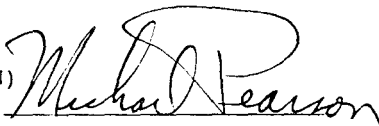
8 This amendment phases in the implementation of
9 this program and adds a fiscal note.

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11 (Sen. PEARSON)

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13 COUNTY: Penobscot

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