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L.D. 767

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**STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
114TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A" to S.P. 294, L.D. 767, Bill, "An Act to Amend the School Finance Act to Include Transportation as a Supportive Service to Special Education for State Agency Clients"

Amend the bill in section 2 by striking out all of the 2nd and 3rd sentences (page 1, lines 27 to 33 in L.D.).

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

Sec. 3. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1989-90	1990-91
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**EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES,
DEPARTMENT OF**

Management Information Division

**General Purpose Aid for Local
Schools**

All Other	\$157,118	\$212,086
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Provides funding to include transportation as a supportive service to special education for state agency clients.

Sec. 4. Effective date. This Act shall be effective with respect to expenditures made in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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5 The amendment clarifies that reimbursement under the bill is
provided for costs incurred in fiscal year 1989-90, provides the
7 necessary appropriation section and deletes language that would
have attempted to phase in the costs. According to the
Department of Educational and Cultural Services, it is not
9 feasible to phase in the costs.

Reported by Senator Estes for the Committee on Education.
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