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L.D. 1317

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
114TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "*A*" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 949,
L.D. 1317, Bill, "An Act to Codify Guidelines for Home and
Private Schools"

Amend the amendment in that part designated "20-A" in
paragraph A in subparagraph (1) by striking out divisions (a),
(b) and (c) (page 2, lines 11 to 18 in amendment) and inserting
in their place the following:

'(a) A private school approved for attendance
purposes pursuant to section 2901;

(b) A private school recognized by the department
as providing equivalent instruction;

(c) A manner approved by the commissioner
pursuant to subparagraph (3); or

(d) Any other manner arranged for by the school
board and approved by the commissioner.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

The amendment recognizes current practice of the Department
of Educational and Cultural Services by adding specific reference
to a 4th method of complying with the compulsory education law.
The department currently recognizes attendance at private schools
pursuant to the "Guidelines for Nonapproved Private Schools."
This method of complying with compulsory education law was
inadvertently omitted in revising the Maine Revised Statutes,
Title 20-A, section 5001-A to change the method of approval of
home schools.

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