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House of Representatives, February 21, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Education suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative MORRISON of Bangor.
Cosponsored by Representative CROWLEY of Stockton Springs.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

**An Act Regarding Recertification of Previously Certified Teachers and
Other Educators.**



Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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4 Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §13018, as amended by PL 1985, c. 287, §4,
is further amended to read:

6 **§13018. Recertification of 5-year and 10-year teacher**
8 **certificates**

10 Teachers, who hold certificates issued in accordance with
chapter 501, ~~shall~~ continue to hold those certificates until
12 their termination dates and may, at their option, have those
certificates renewed at any future termination date in accordance
14 with chapter 501 or this chapter. Teachers who on July 1, 1988
held certificates issued in accordance with chapter 501 and who
16 between July 1, 1988 and December 31, 1991 had those certificates
renewed in accordance with this chapter may, at their option,
18 have their certificates renewed at any future termination date in
accordance with chapter 501 or this chapter. All other
20 certificates issued or renewed after June 30, 1988, ~~shall~~ must be
issued or renewed in accordance with this chapter. ~~Teachers who~~
22 ~~held 5-year or 10-year certificates prior to June 30, 1988, shall~~
~~be considered to have held professional teacher certificates for~~
24 ~~the purpose of recertification under this chapter.~~

26 Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §§13019-D and 13019-E, as enacted by PL
1985, c. 287, §5, are amended to read:

28 **§13019-D. Recertification of administrators**

30 Administrators who hold certificates issued in accordance
with chapter 501 ~~shall~~ continue to hold those certificates until
32 their termination dates. Renewal of administrator certificates
issued in accordance with chapter 501 which that are granted
34 after ~~the effective date of this Act~~ September 19, 1985 and
before July 1, 1988, ~~shall~~ is valid for 5 years.
36 Administrators who hold certificates issued in accordance with
chapter 501 may, at their option, have those certificates renewed
38 at each future termination date in accordance with chapter 501 or
this chapter. Administrators who on July 1, 1988 held
40 certificates issued in accordance with chapter 501 and who
between July 1, 1988 and December 31, 1991 had those certificates
42 renewed in accordance with this chapter may, at their option,
have their certificates renewed at any future termination date in
44 accordance with chapter 501 or this chapter. All other
certificates issued or renewed after June 30, 1988, ~~shall~~ must be
46 issued in accordance with this chapter.

48 **§13019-E. Recertification of other professional personnel**

50 Professional personnel other than teachers and
administrators who hold certificates issued pursuant to chapter
52 501 ~~of this Title~~ shall continue to hold those certificates until

