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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
115TH LEGISLATURE
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SENATE AMENDMENT " B " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P.
466, L.D. 1249, Bill, "An Act Relating to the Education of
Homeless Students"

Amend the amendment in section 4 in subsection 16 in the 2nd
line (page 3, line 8 in amendment) by striking out the
following: "1991-92" and inserting in its place the following:
'1992-93'

Further amend the amendment in section 4 in subsection 16 by
inserting at the end the following: 'Allocations distributed
under this subsection are limited to the funds identified for
that purpose.'

Further amend the amendment by striking out all of the
fiscal note and inserting in its place the following:

FISCAL NOTE

This bill authorizes the Department of Education to adopt
rules that ensure that homeless students have unrestricted access
to education and for the payment of tuition. The costs
associated with rulemaking can be absorbed within existing
resources of the Department of Education. The department is also
required to create a revolving fund to finance homeless student
education costs. Funds will come from a reallocation within the
General Purpose Aid to Local Schools account and will not require
General Fund appropriations. This reallocation, however, will
reduce the state share allocation to school administrative units,
beginning in fiscal year 1992-93.' '

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L.D. 1249

STATEMENT OF FACT

2 This amendment changes the implementation date of the
4 revolving fund for tuition for homeless students from school year
1991-92 to school year 1992-93. It also clarifies that only
6 funds from the revolving fund may be used to provide assistance
to homeless students. It also replaces the fiscal note to the
8 bill.

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12 (Senator ESTES)

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