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No. 1411

S.P. 444

In Senate, May 3, 1993

An Act Concerning the Eligibility of Children of Disabled Veterans to Obtain Education Benefits.

(AFTER DEADLINE)

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27. Reference to the Committee on Aging, Retirement and Veterans suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator SUMMERS of Cumberland.

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

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4 Sec. 1. 37-B MRSA §505, sub-§2, ¶C, as enacted by PL 1983, c.
460, §3, is amended to read:

6 C. Spouses and children of veterans who are attending
8 state-supported ~~post-secondary~~ postsecondary vocational
10 schools or institutions of collegiate grade shall ~~shall~~ must be
12 admitted free of tuition. If a spouse or child of a veteran
14 wants to pursue a course of study that is not available at a
state-supported school or institution in this State, the
division shall pay that spouse's or child's tuition at a
state-supported postsecondary school or institution in a
state that offers that course of study.

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18 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

20 This bill enables a spouse or a child of an eligible veteran
22 who wants to pursue a course of study that is not available at a
24 state-supported school or institution in this State to attend a
state-supported postsecondary school or institution in a state
that offers that course of study, with tuition paid by the
Division of Veterans' Services.