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House of Representatives, January 11, 1994

An Act to Amend the Charter of Kents Hill School.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26. Reference to the Committee on Education suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative NORTON of Winthrop. Cosponsored by Senator McCORMICK of Kennebec and Representatives: LEMKE of Westbrook, LIBBY of Buxton.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:	Be:	it	enacted	bу	the	People	of	the	State	of	'Maine	as	follows:
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	Sec. 1.	P&SL 1	971, c. 159,	§2, as	amende	d by	P&SL	1987,	c.	87,
is	repealed	and the	following	enacte	d in it	s pla	ace:			

Sec. 2. -- term. The term of office of the members of the board of trustees is, commencing with trustees elected in October 1991, 3 years. A trustee elected after October 1991 may serve 3 consecutive 3-year terms, but is ineligible for reelection as a trustee until one year has elapsed from the date of expiration of the final 3-year term, except that the board of trustees may, by a 2/3 vote of those present, exempt from such ineligibility a trustee who is serving as president at the time the trustee's term would otherwise expire by virtue of the service of 3 consecutive 3-year terms. The board of trustees shall elect trustees by majority vote of those present at the meeting when the election is held, and vacancies in the board, from whatever cause arising, are filled for the unexpired term in the same manner.

Sec. 2. P&SL 1979, c. 159, §3, first sentence, is amended to read:

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The said board of trustees may from time to time change the number of their members except that such number shall at no time be fixed at less than $29\ \underline{16}$ nor more than 30.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to amend the charter of Kents Hill School by changing the term of the trustees from 6 years to 3 years and by changing the minimum number of trustees from 20 to 16.

This document has not yet been reviewed to determine the need for cross-reference, stylistic and other technical amendments to conform existing law to current drafting standards.