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House of Representatives, March 4, 1997

An Act to Authorize School Units to Consolidate Administrative Functions.

Reference to the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative GOODWIN of Pembroke.

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

Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §1053, sub-§3 is enacted to read:

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3. Other school administrative units. In addition to the allocation of services between school unions and community school districts provided in subsections 1 and 2, any school administrative unit may enter into a cooperative agreement with another school administrative unit or other units for the purpose of sharing the services and costs of employing a superintendent between those units. The agreement must identify the duration of the agreement, the relative share of the services to be rendered by the superintendent in each unit and the costs to be borne by each unit.

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SUMMARY

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This bill authorizes school administrative units to enter into agreements for the cooperative employment of a school superintendent to perform administrative functions in those units.