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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
120TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE AMENDMENT "J" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 256, L.D. 300, Bill, "An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government, General Fund and Other Funds, and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2002 and June 30, 2003"

Amend the amendment by inserting after Part Y the following:

PART Z

Sec. Z-1. Transfer from Maine Learning Technology Endowment.

Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, Part 9, the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services shall transfer \$3,650,000 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund no later than June 30, 2002.

Sec. Z-2. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Part.

2001-02

EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

**General Purpose Aid
for Local Schools**

All Other \$3,650,000

Provides funding to hold harmless local school administrative units at no less funding than they received in fiscal year 2000-01. Notwithstanding the language in

2 Part C of this Act, the Department of
Education may distribute additional amounts
4 to hold harmless local school administrative
units.'

6 Further amend the amendment by relettering or renumbering
any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read
8 consecutively.

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FISCAL NOTE

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This amendment will increase the General Fund cost of the bill by \$3,650,000 in fiscal year 2001-02 and transfers \$3,650,000 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to unappropriated surplus in the General Fund. Based on the estimated year-ending balances, this amendment maintains a balanced General Fund budget.

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SUMMARY

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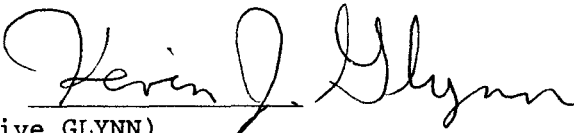
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