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	L.D. 855
2	DATE: 6-19-01 (Filing No. H-738)
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10 12	STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 120TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION
14	HOUSE AMENDMENT " $\mathcal{H}$ " to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 655,
16	L.D. 855, Bill, "An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government and to
18	Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June
20	30, 2002 and June 30, 2003"
22	Amend the amendment by inserting after Part ZZZZ the following:
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26	'PART AAAAA
28	Sec. AAAAA-1. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of
30	this Part.
32	2002-03
34	EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF
36	General Purpose Aid for Local Schools
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40	All Other \$18,724,269
42	Provides additional funds based on a 5% increase, including cushion, over funding provided for fiscal year 2001-02.
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	Sec. AAAAA-2. Transfer of funds. Notwithstanding the Maine
46	Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, Part 9, the Commissioner of

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "H" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 655, L.D.

Administrative and Financial Services shall transfer \$18,724,269 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund no later than August 1, 2001.

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

## 10 FISCAL NOTE

The amendment would increase General Fund appropriations to the Department of Education, General Purpose Aid for Local Schools program by \$18,724,269 in fiscal year 2002-03. The amendment also directs the transfer of \$18,724,269 from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment to the unappropriated surplus of the General Fund. Based on the estimated General Fund balances, a balanced General Fund budget will be maintained if the amendment is enacted.

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## SUMMARY

This amendment provides additional funds for General Purpose Aid for Local Schools based on a 5% increase, including cushion, over funding provided for fiscal year 2001-02. This amendment funds this increase by transferring funds from the Maine Learning Technology Endowment.

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