

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 120th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 744

House of Representatives, February 20, 2001

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**An Act to Protect Occupants from Diesel Exhaust Emitted by School Buses.**

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

*Millicent M. MacFarland*

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative CHICK of Lebanon.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: ANDREWS of York, CHIZMAR of Lisbon, COTE of Lewiston, DUNLAP of Old Town, LOVETT of Scarborough, MURPHY of Kennebunk, STEDMAN of Hartland, TRACY of Rome.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §5401, sub-§15, ¶E** is enacted to read:

6 E. A school board shall consider the amount of pollution  
8 emitted by a school bus when purchasing a school bus.

10 **SUMMARY**

12 This bill requires a school board to consider the amount of  
pollution emitted by a school bus when purchasing a school bus.