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No. 262

S.P. 96

In Senate, January 23, 2003

**An Act To Require That Disciplinary, Attendance and Health
Records Be Included in the Records That Follow a Student Who
Transfers to Another School**

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Joy J. O'Brien'.

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator MITCHELL of Penobscot.
Cosponsored by Representative CUMMINGS of Portland and
Senators: BENNETT of Oxford, DAVIS of Piscataquis, DOUGLASS of Androscoggin,
Representatives: FINCH of Fairfield, LEDWIN of Holden, MILLS of Cornville, MURPHY of
Kennebunk, NORTON of Bangor.

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

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Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §6001-B, sub-§2, as amended by PL 2001, c.
4 452, §14, is further amended to read:

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2. Transfer of records. Upon application of a student to
transfer to another school administrative unit in this State or
8 to enroll at a school administrative unit in this State from an
educational program or school for juveniles located in or
10 operated by a correctional facility or a school outside of the
State, and upon the written request of the superintendent of the
12 school administrative unit into which the student seeks
admission, school administrators at the school administrative
14 unit from which the student is transferring shall provide all of
the student's education records, including disciplinary records,
16 attendance records, health records and special education records,
to school administrators at the school administrative unit to
18 which the student is seeking a transfer.

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SUMMARY

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This bill requires that when a student transfers from one
24 school administrative unit to another, the school administrative
unit from which the student is transferring must transfer the
26 student's disciplinary records, attendance records and health
records to the school administrators at the school administrative
28 unit to which the student is seeking a transfer.