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H.P. 321

House of Representatives, January 29, 2019

**An Act To Restore System Administration Allocations in Maine
School Administrative Units to the Level Prescribed for Fiscal Year
2017-18**

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

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative McCREA of Fort Fairfield.
Cosponsored by Senator MILLETT of Cumberland and
Representatives: FARNSWORTH of Portland, HICKMAN of Winthrop, INGWERSEN of
Arundel, KORNFELD of Bangor, MARTIN of Eagle Lake, O'NEIL of Saco, PIERCE of
Falmouth, STANLEY of Medway.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §15680-A, sub-§§2, 3 and 4,** as enacted by PL 2017, c.
3 284, Pt. C, §35, are repealed.

4 **Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §15680-A, sub-§5** is enacted to read:

5 **5. Beginning in fiscal year 2019-20. Beginning in fiscal year 2019-20, the system**
6 **administration allocation is \$135 per pupil.**

7 **SUMMARY**

8 Current law requires that, beginning in fiscal year 2018-19, a portion of the system
9 administration allocation must be allocated to school administrative units that have
10 established regionalized administrative services. This bill instead establishes the system
11 administration allocation at \$135 per pupil, the same as it was for fiscal year 2017-18,
12 and repeals provisions that increase for future fiscal years the per-pupil amount and
13 restrict allocation of portions of the funds to school administrative units that have
14 established regionalized administrative services.