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H.P. 526

House of Representatives, February 21, 2023

**An Act to Ensure College Credit Classes Taken in Secondary School
Are Credited at the University Level**

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

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

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative LYMAN of Livermore Falls.
Cosponsored by Senator POULIOT of Kennebec and
Representatives: CROCKETT of Portland, MORRIS of Turner, QUINT of Hodgdon,
SAMPSON of Alfred, WHITE of Waterville, Senators: KEIM of Oxford, TIMBERLAKE of
Androscoggin.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §4774, sub-§2,** as enacted by PL 1997, c. 758, §2, is amended
3 to read:

4 **2. Postsecondary credit.** The eligible institution shall grant full credit to any student
5 who successfully completes a course at ~~the~~ any eligible institution under this chapter or
6 who successfully completes a course for college credit while enrolled as a secondary school
7 student. The course must apply to graduation requirements at the eligible institution in
8 which it was taken or be transferable to another eligible institution on an equal basis with
9 a course taken by any other student at the eligible institution.

10 **SUMMARY**

11 This bill requires an eligible institution of higher education to grant full credit to a
12 secondary school student who successfully completes a postsecondary course at an eligible
13 institution of higher education.