

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 120

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND NINE.

AN ACT to amend Section 2 of Chapter 15 of the Revised
Statutes regarding the education of youth.

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

Section 2 of chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes of Maine,
2 regarding the education of youth, shall be amended as fol-
3 lows:

The words, 'having 1200 inhabitants or under' shall be in-
5 serted in the twenty-first line of said section after the word
6 town, as it now reads, and the words 'and shall hire the
7 transportation' shall be inserted in the twenty-second line of
8 said section as it now reads, and the clause 'And said super-
9 intending school committee shall receive the sum of \$2 per
10 day each while actually employed in engaging transportation

11 of such pupils,' shall be inserted in the twenty-eighth line of
12 said section as it now is, immediately after the period in said
13 28th line, so that commencing with the twenty-first line of
14 said section, the section, amended, shall read as follows:

'The superintending school committee in each town having
16 twelve hundred inhabitants or under shall procure the con-
17 veyance and hire the transportation of all public school pupils
18 residing in their town, a part or the whole of the distance, to
19 and from the nearest suitable school, for the number of weeks
20 for which schools are maintained in each year, when such
21 pupils reside at such a distance from the said school as in the
22 judgment of the superintending school committee shall ren-
23 der such conveyance necessary. And said superintending
24 school committee shall receive the sum of \$2 per day each
25 while actually employed in engaging transportation of such
26 pupils. Provided, however, that the superintending school
27 committee may authorize the superintendent of schools to
28 pay the board of any pupil or pupils at a suitable place near
29 any established school instead of providing conveyance for
30 said pupil or pupils, when in their judgment it may be done
31 at an equal or less expense than by conveyance.'

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE,

February 4, 1909.

Came from the House referred to the Committee on Education and on motion by Mr. HOWES of Somerset tabled for printing pending reference in concurrence.

F. G. FARRINGTON, *Secretary*.