

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 302

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend Section sixteen of Chapter fifteen of the
Revised Statutes relating to Public Schools.

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

Section 1. Section sixteen of chapter fifteen of the Re-
vised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out after the
the word "to" in line three of said section the words "exam-
ine teachers as prescribed" and inserting in place thereof
the words "employ teachers certificated as required" and by
adding after the word "law" in line nine of said section the
words "and that it has complied in all ways with the laws
prescribing the duties of towns in relation to public schools,"
so that said section, when amended shall read as follows:

‘Section 16. When the governor and council have reason
11 to believe that a town has neglected to raise and expend the
12 school money required by law, or to employ teachers certifi-
13 cated as required by law, or to have instruction given in the
14 subjects prescribed by law, or to provide suitable text-books
15 in the subjects prescribed by law, or faithfully to expend
16 the school money received from the State or in any way, to
17 comply with the law prescribing the duties of towns in rela-
18 tion to public schools, they shall direct the treasurer of State
19 to withhold further payment to such town from the State
20 school fund and mill tax until such town satisfies them
21 that it has expended the full amount of school money
22 as required by law and that it has complied in all ways with
23 the law prescribing the duties of towns in relation to public
24 schools.’



STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE.

February 26, 1909.

Reported by Mr. WALKER from Committee on Education
and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

F. G. FARRINGTON, *Secretary*.