

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 209

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*In Senate, Feb. 26, 1915.*

*Reported by Sen. Walker from Committee on Education and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to amend section six of chapter one hundred eighty-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred eleven relating to industrial courses in Evening Schools.

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

Section six of chapter one hundred eighty-eight of the  
2 public laws of nineteen hundred eleven is hereby amended  
3 by striking out all of said section after the word "in" in the  
4 seventh line thereof and substituting in place thereof the  
5 following: 'the commercial branches, the domestic and man-  
6 ual arts or the elements of the trades, said courses to be  
7 ject to the approval of the state superintendent of public  
8 schools and no town shall be entitled to receive a reimburse-

9 ment under the provisions of this section unless the total  
10 average attendance in said courses shall equal to not less  
11 than twenty-five per cent of the average attendance of the  
12 school,' so that said section when amended shall read as  
13 follows:

'Sect. 6. Whenever the superintending school committee  
15 of any town shall have maintained during the school year  
16 an evening school as provided by section twenty-two of the  
17 revised statutes said town shall be reimbursed by the state  
18 a sum equal to two-thirds the amount paid for instruction  
19 in such evening school provided there shall have been of-  
20 fered, in addition to the subjects elsewhere prescribed for  
21 evening schools, courses in the commercial branches, the  
22 domestic and manual arts or the elements of the trades, said  
23 courses to be subject to the approval of the state superintend-  
24 ent of public schools and no town shall be entitled to receive  
25 a reimbursement under the provisions of this section unless  
26 the total average attendance in said courses shall equal to  
27 not less than twenty-five per cent of the average attendance  
28 of the school.'