

# NINETY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

# **Legislative Document**

## No. 542

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Marsans of Monmouth.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

#### AN ACT Relating to Classification of High Schools.

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

**R. S., c. 37, § 89, amended.** The 1st 3 paragraphs of section 89 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes are hereby amended to read as follows:

'No school shall be regarded as a high school within the meaning of any of the provisions of this chapter unless such school shall be included in one of the following classes :

Class A. This class shell include such schools as maintain at least 1 approved course of study through 4 years of 36 weeks each and of standard grade, together with approved laboratory equipment, and shall employ at least 2 teachers; provided, the town or union maintaining such school shall appropriate and expend for instruction therein at least \$850 annually exclusive of all tuition received. The commissioner shall provide for graduations within this class, and shall prescribe minimum standards for each division.'

**Class B.** This class shall include such schools as maintain I approved course of study through at least 2 years of 36 weeks and of standard grade, together with approved equipment, provided, the town or union maintaining such school shall appropriate and expend for instruction therein at least \$500 annually exclusive of all tuition received.'