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Referred to the Committee on Education, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Fuller of South Portland

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Inspection of Schools.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 3, sub-§ XII, amended. Subsection XII of section 3 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'XII. To cause an inspection to be made **under the direction of the state board of education** and to report to the school committee **and to the state board of education** his findings and recommendations **when petitioned by 60% of the parents of the children of any one school or** whenever the superintending school committee or the superintendent of schools of any town, or ~~any 3 citizens thereof~~ **20% of the legal voters**, shall petition him **or the state board of education** to make an inspection of the schools of said town; and to prepare a list of standards of buildings, equipment, organization and instruction, and to give such ratings upon such list of standards to any schools that are inspected under the provisions of this subsection as their general condition, equipment and grade of efficiency may entitle them. **Whenever such a petition is received by the commissioner or the state board of education, the board may determine the extent, terms and conditions under which an inspection shall be made.'**