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Referred to the Committee on Education. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Coffin of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Minimum Sick Leave for Teachers.

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

R. S., c. 41, § 237-J, additional. Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section to be numbered 237-J, to read as follows:

'Sick Leave for Teachers.

Sec. 237-J. Minimum sick leave for teachers. Each administrative unit operating public schools within the State shall grant all certified teachers, except substitute teachers as defined by the State Commissioner of Education, a minimum annual sick leave of 10 school days accumulative to a maximum of 30 days without loss of salary. Any other plan of sick leave which, in the opinion of the State Board of Education, provides at least equal benefits may be approved in lieu thereof.'