

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 99th LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 991, L. D. 1400, Bill, "An Act to Authorithe Municipalities of North Yarmouth and Pownal to Form a School Administrative district and Contract with the Town of Cumberland for High School Education."

Amend said Bill in the title by adding after the word "Education" at the end the following: 'and to Authorize the Municipalities of Chelsea, Windsor and Whitefield to Form a School Administrative Distri-

Further amend said Bill by inserting at the beginning of the firs line after the enacting clause the abbreviation and figure: 'Sec. 1,'

Further amend said Bill, in the 2nd paragraph, by striking out the words "this act" and inserting in place thereof the words 'the precediparagraph.

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end 3 new paragraphs, to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. School Administrative District for Chelsea, Windsor and Whitefield authorized. The municipalities of Chelsea, Windsor and Whitefield are exempted from the limitations provided in the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 41, section 111-E, as amended, and the Maine School District Commission is authorized to proceed, pursuant to sections 111-F to 111-U of said chapter 41, to take the necessary action to allow the municipalities of Chelsea, Windsor and Whitefield to form a School Administrative District.

The School Administrative District once formed shall be and is entitled to charge an annual tuition rate which may exceed by 30% the actual per pupil costs of the School Administrative District, but which shall not exceed 130% of the average cost per pupil in all secondary schools of the State for the preceding fiscal year.

Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to limit the number of times that the within-named municipalities may make application to the Maine School District Commission, nor shall the authority heretofore granted to the Maine School District Commission under this act be limited to any specified number of times for the commission to authorize the within-named municipalities to act on the formation of a School Administrative District.'

Filed by Mr. Weston of Farmingdale

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

1/21/60