

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

October 9, 1987 to October 10, 1987

SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

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and the

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

January 6, 1988 to May 5, 1988

PUBLISHED BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES
IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,
TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

Twin City Printery
Lewiston, Maine
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5. Costs to students. There shall be no cost to the student for enrolling a child in a child care service offered by a school administrative unit if the student has an educational plan, approved by the school unit, leading to academic progress and the attainment of reasonable educational goals.

§6652. Parenting and training in child development

A school administrative unit which provides child care services under section 6651 shall offer a one-semester course in parenting and child development to secondary school students.

§6653. Rules

The department may adopt rules governing this subchapter pursuant to the Maine Administrative Procedure Act, Title 5, chapter 375.

Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §15603, sub-§22, ¶D, as amended by PL 1987, c. 523, §3, is further amended to read:

D. Starting in 1986-87 for expenditures in the base year 1984-85, the following preschool handicapped services:

- (1) The salary and benefit costs of certified professional, assistants and aides or persons contracted to perform preschool handicapped services which have been approved by the commissioner; and
- (2) The cost of tuition to other schools for programs which have been approved by the commissioner; and

Sec. 3. 20-A MRSA §15603, sub-§22, ¶E, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 523, §4, is amended to read:

E. The cost of tuition, books, fees and transportation for courses taken at post-secondary institutions under chapter 208; and

Sec. 4. 20-A MRSA §15603, sub-§22, ¶F is enacted to read:

F. Starting in 1990-91 for expenditures in base year 1988-89, the cost of child care services as specified in section 6651, subsection 3.

Sec. 5. Assessment of program; department report. When adopting rules in accordance with this Act, the Department of Educational and Cultural Services shall identify and provide for the collection of specific information which will enable a long-term study and evaluation of this program to be conducted. The department shall report initially on the operation of this Act to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over education by January 15, 1990.

Effective August 4, 1988.

CHAPTER 768

S.P. 818 — L.D. 2138

AN ACT to Provide Additional Appropriations to Continue the Dioxin Study.

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

Resolve 1987, c. 57, is amended by adding at the end the following:

; and be it further

Appropriation. Resolved: The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

1988-89

HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Health, Environmental Health Unit

All Other

These funds are to be used to carry out an on-going dioxin contamination study with field research at Highmoor Farm in conjunction with existing University of Maine research. Funds appropriated for this purpose shall carry forward to June 30, 1990.

\$20,000

Effective August 4, 1988.

CHAPTER 769

S.P. 950 — L.D. 2521

AN ACT to Correct Errors and Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Acts of this and previous Legislatures have resulted in certain technical errors and inconsistencies in the laws of Maine; and

Whereas, these errors and inconsistencies create uncertainties and confusion in interpreting legislative intent; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that these uncertainties and this confusion be resolved in order to prevent any injustice or hardship to the citizens of Maine; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,