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fore it may be presented to the regional school unit board and the commissioner. Voting in towns must be conducted in accordance with Title 30-A, sections 2528 and 2529, even if the towns have not accepted the provisions of Title 30-A, section 2528, and voting in cities must be conducted in accordance with Title 21-A.

For the purposes of this subsection, the ~~3-year~~ 30-month period after which a petition to withdraw may be considered in a member municipality of a school administrative district that was reformulated as a regional school unit pursuant to Public Law 2007, chapter 240, Part XXXX, section 36, subsection 12 is ~~3-years~~ 30 months after the original operational date of the school administrative district; and the ~~3-year~~ 30-month period after which a petition to withdraw may be considered in a member municipality of a school administrative district that did not reformulate as a regional school unit but that became a member entity of an alternative organizational structure is ~~3 years~~ 30 months after the operational date of the alternative organizational structure.

Sec. 2. Effective date. This Act takes effect January 1, 2012.

Effective January 1, 2012.

**CHAPTER 329
S.P. 212 - L.D. 723**

**An Act To End Homelessness
for Veterans in Maine**

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

Sec. 1. 37-B MRSA §513 is enacted to read:

§513. Homelessness prevention coordination

The director shall establish a partnership with a national, human services-based volunteer organization to coordinate efforts to remedy and prevent homelessness among veterans in this State. The volunteer organization must have as its core programs addressing homelessness and veterans' services and have been active as a human services-based volunteer organization for a minimum of 30 years. The director may accept donations from outside sources and federal funding to accomplish the priorities of the partnership. If federal or outside funding is available, the priorities of this partnership, listed in order of priority, include, but are not limited to:

1. Identification. Identifying homeless veterans in the State;

2. Outreach events. Conducting annual outreach events, targeted to reach the maximum number of vet-

erans in need, to disseminate information on resources and services available to assist homeless veterans; and

3. Funding homes. Identifying and securing temporary or permanent living space for veterans within the veterans' communities.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 330
S.P. 480 - L.D. 1519**

**An Act To Allow the Board of
Dental Examiners To Issue
Dental School Faculty Licenses**

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

Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §1086-A is enacted to read:

§1086-A. Dental school faculty license

1. Dental school faculty license. The board may issue a dental school faculty license to an applicant who teaches:

A. Dentistry, dental hygiene or denturism in this State as part of a clinical and didactic program for professional education for dental students and dental residents accredited by the American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation or a successor organization approved by the board;

B. Dental hygiene in this State as part of a clinical and didactic program for professional education for dental hygiene students and dental hygiene residents accredited by the American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation or a successor organization approved by the board; or

C. Denturism in this State as part of a board-approved clinical and didactic program for professional education for denturism students.

A dental school faculty license allows the licensee to practice only within the dental school setting, dental hygiene school setting or denturism school setting, including any satellite locations approved by the board.

2. Eligibility. To qualify for licensure under this section, an applicant must:

A. Hold a current dental, dental hygiene or denturism license in another state or a Canadian province and demonstrate, to the satisfaction of the board, full compliance with the requirements of that other jurisdiction's dental laws; and

B. Submit credentials, satisfactory to the board, including a recommendation letter from an employing school of dentistry, dental hygiene or den-