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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 104, L.D. 204, “An Act to Ensure Safe Access to Schools by Implementing Interlocking Door Controller Technology”

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

'Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §4015 is enacted to read:

§4015. Interlocking door controller technology

When constructing a new elementary or secondary school or renovating an existing elementary or secondary school, a school administrative unit shall ensure that the school is equipped with interlocking door controller technology. The State shall provide funds to a school administrative unit to implement this section. For purposes of this section, "interlocking door controller technology" means an area in between 2 doors separating the interior of a school from the exterior and where both doors cannot be opened at the same time.

Sec. 2. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF
School Finance and Operations Z078**

Initiative: Provides ongoing funds to reimburse school administrative units for the cost of installing interlocking door controller technology when constructing a new elementary or secondary school or renovating an existing elementary or secondary school.

GENERAL FUND	2023-24	2024-25
All Other	\$187,500	\$187,500
GENERAL FUND TOTAL	\$187,500	\$187,500

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

1 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
2 number to read consecutively.

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This amendment provides that the requirement in the bill to install interlocking door
5 controller technology in elementary and secondary schools applies only to newly
6 constructed schools and schools undergoing renovation.

7 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

8 **(See attached)**