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HOUSE AMENDMENT “ ” to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “A” to S.P. 496, L.D. 1553, Bill, “An Act To Create a Public Charter School Program in Maine”

Amend the amendment by inserting after section 4 the following:

Sec. 5. 20-A MRS A §1485, sub-§1, ¶¶E and F, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 240, Pt. XXXX, §13, are amended to read:

E. Data similar to that provided in paragraph A for a high-performing regional school unit of a size and demographic profile determined by the department that is comparable to the regional school unit; ~~and~~

F. For fiscal year 2008-09, data documenting state and local savings from the reorganization to regional school units and the resulting mill rate reduction for each municipality; and

Sec. 6. 20-A MRS A §1485, sub-§1, ¶G is enacted to read:

G. Data similar to that provided in paragraph A that clearly defines the expenditures for public charter schools approved under chapter 112.'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment requires that a school administrative unit's budget subject to voter approval include a separate cost center detailing expenditures for public charter schools.

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HOUSE AMENDMENT