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House of Representatives, January 15, 2019

An Act To Improve Responsiveness of Elected School Boards to the Public

Reference to the Committee on Education and Cultural Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT
Clerk

Presented by Representative ARATA of New Gloucester.
Cosponsored by Senator CYRWAY of Kennebec and
Representative: BERRY of Bowdoinham.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §1001, sub-§20** is enacted to read:

3 **20. Accountability to the public.** A school board is accountable to the residents
4 who live within the boundaries of the school board's district, who are the school board's
5 constituents.

6 **SUMMARY**

7 This bill clarifies that a school board is accountable to the residents of the school
8 board's district, who are the school board's constituents.