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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 MRSA §1485, sub-§1, ¶A, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 240, Pt. XXXX, §13, is amended to read:

A. Expenditures:

- (1) Regular instruction;
- (2) Special education;
- (3) Career and technical education;
- (3-A) Charter schools;
- (4) Other instruction, including summer school and extracurricular instruction;
- (5) Student and staff support;
- (6) System administration;
- (7) School administration;
- (8) Transportation and buses;
- (9) Facilities maintenance;
- (10) Debt service and other commitments; and
- (11) All other expenditures, including school lunch;'

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

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SUMMARY

This amendment provides for the inclusion of a cost center relating to charter schools in warrant articles presented to the legislative body of a regional school unit for approval of the regional school unit budget.

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