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House of Representatives, February 1, 1961

Referred to Committee on State Government. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Cox of Dexter.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-ONE

AN ACT Increasing Number of Justices of the Superior Court.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 106, § 1, amended. The first sentence of section 1 of chapter 106 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘The Superior Court, as heretofore established, shall consist of ~~8~~ 9 justices and such Active Retired Justices as may be appointed and serving on said court, learned in the law and of sobriety of manners.’

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 106, § 2, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 2 of chapter 106 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 68 of chapter 378 of the public laws of 1959, is amended to read as follows:

‘Chapter 103, section 4, relating to reimbursement of Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court for expenses incurred by them shall apply to Justices of the Superior Court, including reimbursement for expenses incurred in employing clerical assistance but which in the aggregate shall not exceed a total sum of ~~\$4,000~~ \$4,500 per year for all such clerical assistance.’

Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$12,020 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and the sum of \$16,050 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 to the Superior Court to carry out the purposes of sections 1 and 2; the breakdown shall be as follows:

1961-62

1962-63

SUPREME JUDICIAL AND SUPERIOR COURTS

Administration

Personal Services
All Other

1,900

2,550

\$12,020

\$16,050