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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
106th LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT"13" to H.P. 1774, L.D. 2246, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to a State-wide Food Stamp Program."

Amend said Bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

'Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, uncertainty will exist as to full funding of County Food Stamp Programs if allowed to become effective 90 days after adjournment; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that the following legislation be enacted as an emergency in order to assure full funding of the essential programs on July 1, 1974; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, '

Further amend said Bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. Authorization. The county commissioners of the several counties shall be authorized to borrow funds to operate and administer such a program for the year 1974-75.'

Further amend said Bill by renumbering section 2 to be section 3.

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Further amend said Bill by inserting at the end before the Statement of Fact, the following:

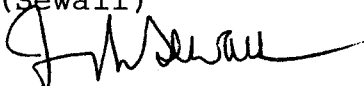
'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.'

Statement of Fact

It is the intent of this amendment to enable the county commissioners of the several counties to acquire funds for the Food Stamp Program.

(Sewall)

NAME:



COUNTY: Penobscot

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