# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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#### FIRST REGULAR SESSION

### ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

## **Legislative Document**

No. 910

H. P. 723 House of Representatives, March 2, 1979 Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Marshall of Millinocket.

Cosponsors: Mr. Wyman of Pittsfield, Mr. Gray of Rockland and Mrs. Martin of Brunswick.

#### STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Funding and Support for Alcoholism Treatment and Rehabilitation Centers.

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

22 MRSA §7103-A is enacted to read:

§ 7103-A. Funds to support alcoholism treatment programs.

All state funds for support of alcoholism treatment, rehabilitation, education and prevention efforts and programs shall be appropriated from or shall be a direct charge against current state liquor revenues. This section shall apply equally to inpatient and outpatient services as well as to both public and private clinics and treatment programs.

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide that state funds for alcoholism treatment be taken directly from state liquor revenues rather than from the General Fund.