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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 582

H. P. 515 House of Representatives, February 3, 1981 Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative A. Martin of Brunswick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

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 applies 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.