

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 1442

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7 H.P. 1085

House of Representatives, April 11, 1983

8 Speaker laid before the House and on Motion of Representative Jalbert of
9 Lewiston, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.
Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

10 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Diamond of Bangor.

11 Cosponsors: Representative Paradis of Augusta, Senator Wood of York
and Representative McHenry of Madawaska.

12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
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17 AN ACT to Provide for State Service
18 Payments to Municipalities in which
19 State-owned Buildings are Located.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 30 MRSA §5057 is enacted to read:

24 §5057. State service payments

25 The Treasurer of State shall annually make pay-
26 ments to municipalities in which state-owned build-
27 ings are located.

28 1. Calculation of payments. Payments shall be
29 calculated as follows.

30 A. On or before September 30, 1984, and for each
31 succeeding year, the Commissioner of Finance and

1 Administration shall provide to the Treasurer of
2 State a list of state-owned buildings in each
3 municipality, along with the total floor space of
4 state-owned buildings in each municipality and
5 the share of floor space of all state-owned
6 buildings accounted for by the state-owned build-
7 ings in each municipality.

8 (1) The following state buildings shall not
9 be included in the calculation provided by
10 this section:

11 (a) Buildings in which the State holds
12 only a leasehold interest;

13 (b) Buildings owned by the Bureau of
14 Parks and Recreation and for which pay-
15 ments are made under Title 12, section
16 602, subsection 4;

17 (c) Buildings owned by the University
18 of Maine;

19 (d) Buildings owned by the Maine Mari-
20 time Academy; and

21 (e) Buildings owned by the
22 vocational-technical institutes estab-
23 lished by Title 20-A, section 10103.

24 B. On or before December 30, 1984, and for each
25 succeeding year, the Treasurer of State shall
26 calculate the payment for each municipality by
27 multiplying the amount appropriated under subsec-
28 tion 2 by the percentage of state-owned building
29 floor space in each municipality.

30 2. Appropriation of funds. The Legislature shall
31 appropriate funds to carry out the purposes of this
32 section.

33 STATEMENT OF FACT

34 This bill provides for payment in lieu of taxes
35 to be made to municipalities in which certain state-
36 owned buildings are located. Payments are made from

1 amounts appropriated by the Legislature on the basis
2 of the share of state-owned building floor space in
3 each municipality. The Part II budget provides
4 \$500,000 in the 2nd year of the 1984-85 biennium for
5 the purpose of state service payments to municipali-
6 ties.

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