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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and First Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the One Hundred and First Legislature

1963

Legislative Document	Title	1963-64	1964-65
	Legislative Research Committee		
	Unallocated	\$ 10,000	\$ —
	Bond Interest		
	All Other	—	23,400.00
	TOTAL	<u>\$113,710.00</u>	<u>\$808,404.00</u>

Amounting to \$113,710.00 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 and \$808,404.00 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965.

Sec. 2. Deductions. There is hereby appropriated to be deducted from funds made available under the provisions of the private and special laws of 1963, chapter 168, as heretofore passed by this Legislature, the following amounts:

	1963-64	1964-65
AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF		
Soil Conservation		
All Other	\$(7,460)	\$(7,460)
Capital Expenditures	(2,500)	(2,500)
LIQUOR HEARING EXAMINER		
Administration		
Personal Services	(11,408)	(11,512)
All Other	(1,085)	(1,085)
Capital Expenditures	(700)	(—)

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect July 1, 1963.

Effective July 1, 1963

Chapter 186

AN ACT to Authorize General Fund Bond Issue in Amount of Eight Million Four Hundred Twenty-two Thousand Dollars and to Appropriate Moneys for Capital Improvements, Construction, Repairs, Equipment, Supplies and Furnishings for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1964.

Preamble. Two-thirds of both Houses of Legislature deeming it necessary in accordance with Section 14 of Article IX of the Constitution to authorize the issuance of bonds on behalf of the State of Maine to provide construction, repairs, equipment, supplies and furnishings.

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

Sec. 1. Issue of bonds to provide for construction, repairs, equipment, supplies and furnishings. The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor and Council, to issue from time to time serial coupon bonds in the name and behalf of the State to an amount not exceeding \$8,422,000 for the purpose of raising funds to provide for such construction, repairs, equipment, supplies and furnishings, as authorized by section 6. Said bonds shall be deemed a pledge of the faith and credit of the State. Said bonds shall not run for a longer period than 20 years from the date of the original issue thereof.

Sec. 2. Records of bonds issued to be kept by State Auditor and Treasurer. The State Auditor shall keep an account of such bonds, showing the number and amount of each, the date of countersigning, the date when payable and the date of delivery thereof to the Treasurer of State, who shall keep an account of each bond, showing the number thereof, the name of the person to whom sold, the amount received for the same, the date of sale and the date when payable.

Sec. 3. Sale, how negotiated; proceeds appropriated. The Treasurer of State may negotiate the sale of such bonds by direction of the Governor and Council; but no such bond shall be loaned, pledged or hypothecated in behalf of the State. The proceeds of the sales of such bonds, which shall be held by the Treasurer of State and paid by him upon warrants drawn by the Governor and Council, are appropriated to be used solely for the purposes set forth in this act. Any balance unexpended shall not lapse, but shall be carried forward from year to year to be used only for the purposes set forth herein.

Sec. 4. Interest and debt retirement. Interest due or accruing upon any bonds issued under the provisions of this act and all sums coming due for payment of bonds at maturity shall be paid by the Treasurer of State from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 5. Disbursement of bond proceeds. The proceeds of such bonds shall be expended under the direction and supervision of the Director of the Bureau of Public Improvements.

Sec. 6. Allocations from General Fund Bond Issue.

Department	1963-64
AERONAUTICS COMMISSION	
State Aid to Municipalities for Airport Construction	\$ 100,000
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, DEPARTMENT OF	
Renovation to Exhibition Hall, State of Maine Building, West Springfield, Massachusetts	23,000
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF	
Maine Vocational Technical Institute Completion of Classroom Building	86,100

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Department

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EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF – Continued

Gorham State Teachers College Industrial and Arts Building	\$ 780,000
Vocational Educational Institute For the purchase of land and for planning for Vocational Educational Institute in Penobscot County	25,000
Vocational Educational Institute To provide for Vocational Educational Institute in Androscoggin County Area	640,000
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Total Education, Department of	\$1,531,100

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Public Improvements Blaine House – Capital Improvements	9,700
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MENTAL HEALTH AND CORRECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF

Augusta State Hospital Continuation of Ward Buildings Renovation	300,000
Bangor State Hospital Administrative Offices and Warehouse Area	184,800
Pineland Hospital and Training Center Alterations to Bliss Hall for Use as Rehabilitation Facility	114,000
Boys Training Center Kitchen and Dining Facilities	328,815
Reception Unit	210,911
Cottage No. 1	224,534
Cottage No. 2	208,563
Infirmery and Security Building	266,810
Addition to Heating Plant	140,920
Alterations to School Building	19,447
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Sub-total	1,400,000
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Total Mental Health and Corrections, Department of	1,998,800

MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY

Reconstruction – Quick Memorial Gymnasium	100,000
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STATE PARK COMMISSION

Development Crescent Beach State Park Initial Development of Facilities	400,000
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Department	1963-64
STATE PARK COMMISSION – Continued	
Rangeley Lake State Park Development of Park Site	\$ 278,000
Lamoine State Park – Improvement and Expansion of Facilities	35,000
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Sub-total	713,000
Forts and Memorials	
Various Forts and Memorials	42,500
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Total State Park Commission	755,500
UNIVERSITY OF MAINE	
Classroom, Lecture Hall, Laboratory and Academic Office Building	\$1,000,000
Expansion of Boardman Hall	313,900
Service Building	300,000
Campus Roads and Parking Areas – Phase I	30,000
Renovation of Lord Hall	210,000
Classroom, Laboratory, School of Law, 4-year School of Business Administration – Portland Campus	1,900,000
Central Heating Plant – Phase I – Portland Campus	150,000
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Total University of Maine	3,903,900
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Total Allocations from General Fund Bond Issue	\$8,422,000

Amounting to \$8,422,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964.

In no case shall the cost of any project in this section exceed the amount as shown.

Sec. 7. Contingent upon ratification of bond issue. Sections 1 to 6 of this act shall not become effective unless and until the people of the State of Maine shall have ratified the issuance of bonds as set forth in this act.

Sec. 8. Referendum for Ratification. The aldermen of cities, the selectmen of towns and the assessors of the several plantations of this State are hereby empowered and directed to notify the inhabitants of their respective cities, towns and plantations to meet in the manner prescribed by law for calling and holding biennial meetings of said inhabitants for the election of Senators and Representatives, at a special statewide election to be held on the Tuesday following the first Monday of November, 1963 to give in their votes upon the acceptance or rejection of the foregoing act, and the question shall be:

“Shall a bond issue be ratified for the purposes set forth in ‘An Act to Authorize General Fund Bond Issue in Amount of Eight Million Four Hundred Twenty-two Thousand Dollars and to Appropriate Moneys for Capital Improvements, Construction, Repairs, Equipment, Supplies and Furnishings for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1964,’ passed by the 101st Legislature?”

The inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed within a square upon their ballots their opinion of the same, those in favor of ratification voting “Yes” and those opposed to ratification voting “No” and the ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings, and return made to the office of the Secretary of State in the same manner as votes for Governor and Members of the Legislature, and the Governor and Council shall count the same and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of said act the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the act shall thereupon become effective in 30 days after the date of said proclamation.

Secretary of State shall prepare ballots. The Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish to the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing act, accompanied by a copy thereof.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 187

AN ACT to Create a Recess Committee to Study the Desirability and Need of Establishing a Department of Rehabilitation.

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

Sec. 1. Rehabilitation Committee. A special recess committee shall be appointed to study the desirability and need of establishing a Department of Rehabilitation combining the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation of the Department of Education and the Division of Eye Care and Special Services of the Department of Health and Welfare, as well as the functions of other state agencies providing rehabilitation services, to provide a broad overall program of diagnosis, counseling, physical restoration, vocational training, placement services aimed at placing the handicapped and disabled in useful employment administered under a single state department.

The committee shall, at the next regular session of the Legislature, make a written report including such recommendations for legislation as the committee may adopt, if any, together with a draft of such legislation.

The committee shall consist of 8 members, to be made up as follows: One member from the Senate appointed by the President of the Senate; one member from the House appointed by the Speaker of the House; 6 members appointed by the Governor, 2 of which shall be members of the Maine Chapter of the National Rehabilitation Association, one each from the Department of Education and Department of Health and Welfare and 2 members representing the public.