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Sec. 3. Allotment. Funds to carry out the purpose of this Act shall be allotted from the funds appropriated, in public law 1977, chapter 380, to the State Tuition Equalization Fund for the fiscal year 1978-79.

Effective October 24, 1977

CHAPTER 539

AN ACT Relating to Employee Workmen's Compensation Law.

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

Sec. 1. 39 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 5, ¶ B is enacted to read:

B. The term "employee" shall be deemed to include, if he elects to be personally covered by this Title, any person who regularly operates a business or practices a trade, profession or occupation, whether individually, or in partnership or association with other persons, whether or not he hires employees. The Superintendent of Insurance is authorized to review for his approval, at his discretion, an appropriate classification for this class of persons and a reasonable rate.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Industrial Accident Commission the sum of \$20,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1977-78	1978-79
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION		
Personal Services	(1) \$ 8,500	(1) \$ 8,500
Capital Expenditures	1,500	1,500
TOTAL	\$10,000	\$10,000

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AN ACT Concerning the per Pupil Cost of a School Administrative Unit Losing More than 33% of its Enrollment between June and September.

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