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a complaint with the Administrative Court Judge and serving a copy of the complaint upon the bureau, within 15 days of the mailing of the decision of the bureau by certified mail to the mailing address given by the applicant in his application for a special agency store permit.

Sec. 4-A. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$17,700 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1978 and the sum of \$21,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1979. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1977-78	1978-79
SECRETARY OF STATE		
Personal Services	(2) \$15,600	(2) \$20,200
All Other	600	800
Capital Expenditures	1,500	-0-
	\$17,700	\$21,000

Sec. 5. Transitional provision. Every agency as defined in Title 5, section 8002, subsection 2, shall provide to the legislative committees and the Secretary of State whatever assistance is requested in accomplishing the purposes of this Act. Such assistance shall be provided both prior to the effective date, for the purpose of implementing this Act and subsequent thereto.

Sec. 6. Revision clause. Wherever there appears in the Revised Statutes a reference to Title 5, Part 6 or to Title 5, chapters 301 to 307, the reference shall be changed to Title 5, Part 18.

Sec. 7. Effective date. This Act shall be effective on July 1, 1978.

Effective July 1, 1978

CHAPTER 552

AN ACT to Lighten the Burden of Property Taxes on the Elderly Widowed or Disabled.

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA § 6111, as last repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 771, § 2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§ 6111. Age limitation

No claim shall be granted which is otherwise allowable under this Part, unless at least one member of the household shall:

1. Attained age of 62. Have attained the age of 62 during the year for which relief is requested; or

2. Disabled widow or widower. Be a widow or widower who has not remarried, who has attained the age of 55 during the year for which relief is requested, and who, due to a disability, is receiving federal disability payments, such as supplemental security income.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated to the Bureau of Taxation from the General Fund for fiscal year 1978-79 the sum of \$81,500 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

1978-79

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION,
DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Taxation

All Other \$81,500

Sec. 3. Effective date. This Act shall become effective January 1, 1978.

Effective January 1, 1978

CHAPTER 553

AN ACT Appropriating Funds for Increased Staff and Changing Certain Provisions Relating to the Appointment of the Executive Director of the Maine Labor Relations Board.

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

Sec. 1. 2 MRSA § 6, sub-§ 5, last line, as enacted by P & SL 1973, c. 221, § 10, is repealed as follows:

~~Executive Director of the Public Employees Labor Relations Board~~

Sec. 2. 26 MRSA § 968, sub-§ 2, next to last sentence, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 771, § 282, is repealed as follows:

~~The executive director shall receive such salary as shall be fixed by the Governor~~

Sec. 3. 26 MRSA § 968, sub-§ 2, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 771, § 282, is further amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

The salary of the executive director shall be established by the board within