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STATE OF MAINE



REPORT

OF THE

ATTORNEY GENERAL



for the calendar years

1941--1942

Department is to be charged at a fair rate against the Turnpike Authority and the Turnpike Authority must pay the State for such services, "as all other costs of said Turnpike".

Attention can be called to Section 13 of the Turnpike Authority Act which provides a method by which the Authority can raise temporary funds.

Very truly yours,

FRANK I. COWAN
Attorney General

October 29, 1941

From:
The Attorney General

To:
The State Highway Commission

I have your query of instant date in regard to bills rendered by the Department of Audit.

Inasmuch as Chapter 27, P. L. 1941 expressly provides that the Highway Department shall pay 30% of the cost of audit of the various Courts, and inasmuch as in case of a payment to be made by one department of the State to another department, the department paying is chargeable with knowledge of the reason for making the payment, and with the accuracy of the payment approved, it is your duty to require an itemized statement from the Department of Audit in each case where you are billed for services of that department.

FRANK I. COWAN
Attorney General

October 30, 1941

Harry V. Gilson, Esquire
Commissioner of Education
Augusta, Maine

Dear Mr. Gilson:

In response to your inquiry of October 22nd, relative to the responsibility for tuition charges based on permanent residence, I am pleased to inform you that it appears, in the instant case, that the whole case depends on the domicile of the parents of the pupil, Leola Meses, whose parents, within the year, moved from Friendship to Newcastle; who claim to own property in Friendship and claim that town as their legal residence.