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The Attorney General

Governor Sewall

In re Retirement Bertram L. Packard

I have examined the law in regard to payment of the pension to Bertram E. Packard. Under the provisions of the last clause of P. L. 1933, Chapter 1, Section 227, the Governor and Council have the authority to grant a pension to Dr. Packard, and the authority is sufficiently broad so that the amount of \$2500 is not improper.

Payment of said pension, however, must be entirely from the appropriation for pensions to State employees. Section 230 of said act expressly provides that where any pension is paid under the provisions of that act, no pension shall be paid to the same person under the provisions of any other act of the State of Maine.

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