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House of Representatives, January 31, 1961

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Danes of South Portland.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-ONE

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**RESOLVE, to Provide for One Additional Staff Member to the Maine Port Authority to Evaluate Existing Commercial Water Front Facilities Along the Coast of Maine.**

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**Additional staff member to the Maine Port Authority; appropriation. Resolved:** That there is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$35,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 to the Maine Port Authority to evaluate existing and potential commercial water-front facilities along the coast of Maine and to evaluate existing and potential commercial waterborne traffic; and be it further

**Resolved:** That this appropriation shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until the purpose of this resolve has been accomplished.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The objectives of the duties of the additional staff member of the Maine Port Authority would be to prepare a master plan for the general guidance of the Maine Port Authority in connection with planning for marine terminal development along the coast of Maine. The work would include a re-evaluation of the 1944 study and plans by the engineering firm of Fay, Spoffard and Thorndike on the development of the Port of Portland. The additional staff member will work with Maine's industries, coastal communities and Department of Economic Development who are directing renewed interest in commercial waterborne commerce and port development.

The program is to include the salary and travel expense of one additional staff member and for services of traffic and engineering consultants.