

# ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

## No. 240

H. P. 185 Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

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Presented by Mr. Bishop of Presque Isle.

## STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

#### AN ACT Providing for the Study of a State Building Code and Anti-Shack Statute.

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

Sec. 1. Department of Economic Development authorized to study a state building code and anti-shack statute. The Department of Economic Development is authorized to study the need for a state building code and anti-shack statute and to determine the best method of coordinating these provisions with municipal ordinances.

Said department shall have authority to employ such expert and professional advisors and such clerical and office personnel as its judgment may determine within the limits of the funds provided.

The department shall report to the 103rd Legislature its recommendations for legislation believed necessary to correct the chaotic building conditions that exist in various areas of the State. Such reports shall give specific attention to the unorganized areas of the State and the coordination of any proposed state building code and anti-shack statute with municipal ordinances.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated to the Department of Economic development the sum of \$25,000 from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund and any balance of this appropriation as of June 30, 1966 shall not lapse but shall be carried forward into the 1966-67 fiscal year to be used for the same purposes.