

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1785

H. P. 1279 House of Representatives, January 17, 1966
The Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested.
JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk
Presented by Mr. Truman of Biddeford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SIX

**AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for Salary Increases for Maine Maritime
Academy Personnel.**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Maine Maritime Academy salary schedule is approximately 35% below schools in similar circumstances; and

Whereas, this has resulted in the resignation of 17 employees since January, 1965 with corresponding hardship on students and remaining staff members; and

Whereas, under the present salary schedule, replacement with qualified personnel is nearly impossible; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Maine Maritime Academy; appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$8,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 and the sum of \$32,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1967 to the Maine Maritime Academy for salary increases for the academy's personnel.

The breakdown shall be as follows :

	1965-66	1966-67
MAINE MARITIME ACADEMY		
Personal services	\$8,000	\$32,000

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.