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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 167
Referred to Committee on State Government. In Senate, January 25, 1967
Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Snow of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Increasing Compensation of Members of the Legislature.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 3, § 2, amended. The first sentence of section 2 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 412 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

Each member of the Senate and House of Representatives shall receive \$2,000 \$4,500 for the regular session of the Legislature, and shall be paid for travel at each legislative session once each week at the same rate per mile to and from his place of abode as state employees receive, the mileage to be determined by the most reasonable direct route.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 3, § 2, amended. The 3rd paragraph of section 2 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 3 of chapter 412 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

The President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each receive \$2,300 \$4,800 for each regular session of the Legislature, with the same mileage as other members, and subject to the same deduction in case of each absence. Any member acting as President pro tempore of the Senate, or Speaker pro tempore of the House, shall receive \$2 a day extra therefor.

- **Sec. 3. Appropriation.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Legislative Appropriation the sum of \$462,500 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969. Any balance shall not lapse but shall be carried forward to be expended for the same purpose.
- Sec. 4. Effective date. This Act shall become effective on the first Wednesday of January, 1969.