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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 395

H. P. 275 House of Representatives, January 26, 1967
Referred to Committee on Labor. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.
BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk
Presented by Mr. Gill of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Weekly Benefits for Total Unemployment Under Employment Security Law.

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

R. S., T. 26, § 1191, sub-§ 2, amended. Subsection 2 of section 1191 of Title 26 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 8 of chapter 381 of the public laws of 1965, is amended to read as follows:

2. **Weekly benefit amount for total unemployment.** On and after April 1, ~~1966~~ 1968, each eligible individual who is totally unemployed in any week shall be paid with respect to such week, benefits equal to ~~1/25~~ 1/22 of his wages, rounded to the ~~nearest~~ highest dollar, earned in the high quarter of his base period, but not less than \$10. The maximum weekly benefit amount for claimants requesting insured status determination from June 1st of a calendar year to May 31st of the next calendar year shall not exceed 50% of the annual average weekly wage, rounded to the ~~nearest~~ highest dollar, paid in the calendar year preceding June 1st of such calendar year. ~~The maximum weekly benefit amount for claimants requesting insured status determination from April 1, 1966 to May 31, 1966 shall not exceed 50% of the annual average weekly wage, rounded to the nearest dollar, paid in the calendar year 1964.~~