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Legislative Document

No. 672

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BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Birt of East Millinocket.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Appropriating Funds for Administration of Bureau of Public Administration at University of Maine.

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

Whereas, the 102nd Legislature in regular session by legislative order directed the Bureau of Public Administration at the University of Maine in Orono to study the administration of the property tax in Maine which study was estimated to cost a total of \$50,000; and

Whereas, the 102nd Legislature in special session by legislative act appropriated \$15,000 to enable the Bureau of Public Administration to commence said study; and

Whereas, it has been determined that additional funds are vitally necessary to complete the study in the manner directed by the Legislature; 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:

Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$30,-000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 to be paid to the treasurer of the University of Maine to carry out the duties of the Bureau of Public Administration. The breakdown shall be as follows:

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Department

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\$30,000

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