

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 374 Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Mills of Franklin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, to Continue Review of Maine Criminal Statutes.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and resolves do not become effective until 90 days after the Legislature adjourns unless passed as emergencies; and

Whereas, the appropriation of the sum of \$10,000 to the Attorney General by the resolves of 1965, chapter 78, to continue review of the criminal statutes of the State will lapse on June 30, 1967; and

Whereas, the review of the criminal statutes has not been completed and will not be completed by June 30, 1967; 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

Resolved: That the appropriation of the sum of \$10,000 to the Attorney General by the resolves of 1965, chapter 78, shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until June 30, 1969; and be it further

Resolved: That such sum shall be expended under the direction of the Attorney General to defray the expenses of continuing the review of the criminal statutes of the State authorized by the private and special laws of 1963, chapter 203, including the services of consultants and advisers, and technical and clerical assistance.

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