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JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Audits for Judiciary, Legislature and Executive.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 3, § 4, additional. Title 3 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 4, to read as follows:

§ 4. Postaudit

A postaudit of all accounts and other financial records of the Legislature and the Executive Department of the Governor, except the Governor's Expense Account, shall be performed at least once every 2 years by independent public accountants designated by the Governor and Council.

Such audit report shall be filed with the Legislature and with the State Library.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 243, sub-§ 1, amended. Subsection 1 of section 243 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

1. Postaudit. To perform a postaudit of all accounts and other financial records of the State Government or any department or agency thereof, **including the judiciary and the Executive Department of the Governor, except the Governor's Expense Account**, and to report annually on this audit, and at such other times as the Legislature may require;

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 5, § 1541, sub-§ 11, additional. Section 1541 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 11, to read as follows:

11. Definition. The words, "the State Government," as used in this section shall include the judiciary and the Executive Department of the Governor.

Sec. 4. Effective date. Any audit under this Act shall be performed in the first instance for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965.