

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 243

H. P. 196

House of Representatives, January 21, 1969

Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Benson of Southwest Harbor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Benefits for Widows of State Police Officers.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 1, ¶ C, amended. Paragraph C of subsection 1 of section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end of the following new paragraph:

Upon the death of a member of the Maine State Police who is the recipient of a retirement allowance under this section, without optional modification, or is retired under either the ordinary or occupational disability provisions, his widow shall become entitled to a retirement allowance which shall be equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ of the amount being paid at the time of his death and which payment shall continue for the remainder of her lifetime or until she should remarry.

Sec. 2. **Appropriation.** There is appropriated to the State Police the sum of \$57,924 from the General Highway Fund and the sum of \$19,308 from the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1970 and the sum of \$77,232 from the General Highway Fund and the sum of \$25,744 from the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1971 to carry out the purposes of this Act.