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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1123

H. P. 832 House of Representatives, February 24, 1971 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Retirement. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Hayes of Windsor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT to Provide Retirement Benefits for Certain State Employees.

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

- R. S., T. 5, § 1091, sub-§ 3, amended. Subsection 3 of section 1091 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:
- 3. Federal employment service. Any person who was an employee on December 31, 1941 and was transferred to the federal employment service and any person employed by said employment service after December 31, 1941, and who subsequently became a state employee when the said employment service was returned to the State of Maine as an operating unit or became a state employee at any time thereafter, shall be considered a member of the retirement system if such person makes payments to the State Retirement Fund in the same amounts and during the same periods as the other state employees have made to said fund and any such person shall be permitted to make up any such amounts due to the said fund. Any person to whom this subsection is applicable shall be entitled to all the rights and benefits which he could have accrued had he been employed by the State.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Present law now provides for retirement credits for only those state employees who were in state service on the day the employment service was returned to the State. This Act would also provide retirement credits for service during the period December 31, 1941, through November 15, 1946, for employment service employees who were not employed on November 16, 1946, but who later returned to state service.