

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 933

House of Representatives, March 3, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bernier of Westbrook.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Providing Funds for Certain High School Equivalency  
Examinations.**

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

**Appropriation.** There is appropriated to the Department of Education from the General Fund the sum of \$4,000 for the purpose of providing funds to defray the charges for high school equivalency examinations administered to inmates of state institutions and participants in programs approved by the Commissioner of Education for economically disadvantaged persons. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1971-72	1972-73
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF		
Education Administration		
All Other	\$2,000	\$2,000

STATEMENT OF FACT

A charge of \$5 per person is made to cover the expense of providing and administering the high school equivalency examination. The purpose of this Act is to provide funds to cover the cost of the examination for inmates of state hospitals, State Prison, correctional institutions and for other disadvantaged persons.