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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
105TH LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to H. P. 1012, L. D. 1391, Bill,
"AN ACT Relating to Funeral Expenses of Recipients of Public
Assistance."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of that part designated
"\$3409." of section 1 and inserting in place thereof the following:

'\$3409. Funeral expenses

,On the death of an active recipient of aid to the aged,
blind or disabled, reasonable funeral expenses not exceeding
~~\$150~~ \$200 shall be paid by the State if the estate of the deceased
is insufficient to pay the same.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of section 2
and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the
General Fund to the Department of Health and Welfare the sum of
\$40,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown
shall be as follows:

	<u>1971-72</u>	<u>1972-73</u>
HEALTH AND WELFARE, DEPARTMENT OF		
All Other	\$20,000	\$20,000'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to have recipients of public
assistance receive reasonable funeral expenses not to exceed \$200
and to change the appropriation of the bill from \$60,000 to
\$40,000.

Reported by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.
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