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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1395

H. P. 1016 House of Representatives, March 9, 1971 Referred to Committee on Education. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Murray of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Providing Funds for Elementary School Guidance Counsellors.

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

Guidance counsellors. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the Department of Education, the sum of \$150,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1972 and \$170,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1973 for state aid to a school administrative unit which employs an elementary school guidance counsellor. Such administrative unit shall be reimbursed by the State for 75% of the first year's salary of such guidance counsellor, for 50% of the 2nd year's salary and 25% of the 3rd year's salary. Any balance of this appropriation shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until the purposes of this Act have been accomplished.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill will help local school systems initiate guidance programs in the elementary schools.