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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1476

H. P. 1087

House of Representatives, March 12, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Dam of Skowhegan.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT to Authorize a Food Stamp Program in Somerset County.

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

Somerset County; food stamp program. The State Department of Health and Welfare is authorized to administer a food stamp program in Somerset County in conformity with regulations promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture and the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare and is further authorized to hire the necessary personnel to administer said program. The Department of Health and Welfare shall be reimbursed by the County of Somerset for any administrative expenses incurred for carrying out this Act. The funds in the county budget for donated commodities may be used to reimburse the Department of Health and Welfare.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to assist the people of Somerset County by a food stamp program. Such program, in order to comply with federal law, must be administered by a state agency. The expenses will be paid for with county funds.