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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1963

H. P. 1521

House of Representatives, January 24, 1972

The Committee on Veterans and Retirements suggested.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Lewin of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-TWO

**RESOLVE, to Correct an Error in the Service Retirement Allowances Under
the State Retirement Law for Linwood A. Webber.**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Linwood A. Webber has been employed by the State for 38 years, 7 months and 30 days but only received credit for 34 years, 7 months and 30 days; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to correct an error by being excluded from the current retirement system provisions; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, this fact creates an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and requires the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Creditable state service; Linwood A. Webber. Resolved: That Linwood A. Webber be provided with prior service credits for the years 1933, 1934, 1935 and 1936.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall become effective March 1, 1972.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Linwood A. Webber was employed by the State per records of the Retirement System for 34 years, 7 months and 30 days, of which prior service

credits amounted to 7 years, 4 months and 30 days. Mr. Webber has now produced affidavits showing prior years service to be in excess of the retirement records by 4 years, 1933, 1934, 1935 and 1936. Affidavits have been filed by Wilson Manning, Earl E. Malcolm, Fred Jackson and Erlena Bartlett which substantiate his claims. This would make the total number of years of creditable service to be allowed of 38 years, 7 months and 30 days.