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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 89

H. P. 76

House of Representatives, January 8, 1973

The Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested by the Committee on Reference of Bills. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Simpson of Standish.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

**AN ACT Increasing Compensation of Assistant Secretary of the Senate and
the Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives.**

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

Whereas, the officers who are subject to this Act should receive additional compensation for the services required of them; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that the following legislation becomes effective immediately so that proper adjustment can be made; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 3, § 22, amended. The first sentence of the last paragraph of section 22 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 393 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

The assistant secretary of the Senate shall receive a salary of ~~\$5,500~~ **\$6,500**.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 3, § 42, amended. The first sentence of the last paragraph of section 42 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 4 of chapter 393 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

The assistant clerk of the House of Representatives shall receive a salary of ~~\$5,500~~ \$6,500.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall be retroactive to January 3, 1973. It is the intent of the Legislature that any orders passed by the 106th Legislature affecting the statutory salaries provided by this Act shall not be in addition to such salaries.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to increase the salaries of the assistant secretary of the Senate and the assistant clerk of the House from \$5,500 to \$6,500.