

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 115

H. P. 94

House of Representatives, January 10, 1973

Referred to the Committee on State Government. 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 Relating to Fees Received by the Clerk of the House of
Representatives and Secretary of the Senate.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 3, § 22, amended. Section 22 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read as follows:

All fees, charges, emoluments and other receipts of whatever nature, which may be payable to the Secretary of the Senate, the Assistant Secretary of the Senate or any employee thereof, excepting their lawful salaries and expenses properly payable to them, shall be credited to the General Fund and no Secretary of the Senate, Assistant Secretary of the Senate or employee shall directly or indirectly receive a private benefit or gain from the sale or distribution of any material, information or reports from the records of such Secretary of the Senate.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 3, § 42, amended. Section 42 of Title 3 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read as follows:

All fees, charges, emoluments and other receipts of whatever nature, which may be payable to the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives, or any employee thereof, excepting their lawful salaries and expenses properly payable to them, shall be credited to the General Fund and no Clerk of the House of Representatives, Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives or employee shall directly or indirectly receive a private benefit or gain from the sale or distribution of any material,

information or reports from the records of such Clerk of the House of Representatives.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide that if the Secretary of the Senate, the Assistant Secretary of the Senate, the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives, or any employee thereof, sells or receives moneys for information taken from State records or otherwise sells material or reports gathered therefrom, the moneys payable to the Secretary of the Senate, the Assistant Secretary of the Senate, the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Assistant Clerk of the House of Representatives or any employee thereof, will be credited to the General Fund.