

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 182

H. P. 149 House of Representatives, January 16, 1973
Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and
ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Norris of Brewer.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

**RESOLVE, to Reimburse R. B. Swan & Son of Brewer for Loss of Beehives
by Bear.**

R. B. Swan & Son; reimbursed. Resolved: That there is appropriated
from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$972.40 to
be paid to R. B. Swan & Son of Brewer as a full and final settlement of its
claim against the State for loss of 16 beehives and honey destroyed by bear.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Re: Bill for destruction of 16 beehives, bees and honey, no salvage value,
located in Orland, Maine on Route 1, near Upper Patten Pond, on land
of Allen's Blueberry Freezer, Inc., Ellsworth, Maine

16 complete hives with foundation wax	\$320.10	
16 extra hive bodies with frames and wax	133.40	
16 shallow supers with frames and wax	128.10	
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	\$581.60	
Less 1/2 of cost for depreciation	290.80	
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Value of equipment destroyed		\$290.80
16 - 5 lb. replacement packages of bees at \$15 each		240.00
Labor for assembling hives and installing bees		
6 hours per hive (16 x 6) 96 hours at \$2.50		240.00
35 lbs. honey per hive at \$.36 per lb., 560 lbs.		201.60
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		\$972.40

The location and damage was inspected by Game Warden William Vail
of Ellsworth. Damage occurred between June 1, 1972 and July 4, 1972.