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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
106TH LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "A " to H. P. 780, L. D. 1012, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Management and Maintenance of State of Maine Building at Eastern States Exposition."

Amend said Bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble.

Further amend said Bill by inserting after section 2 the following new sections:

'Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Agriculture the sum of \$3,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	<u>1973-74</u>	<u>1974-75</u>
AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF		
All Other	\$1,800	\$1,200

Sec. 4. Effective date. This Act shall become effective October 1, 1973.'

Further amend said Bill by striking out all of the emergency clause.

Statement of Fact

The majority of the State buildings are operated by the Agriculture Department of each respective state, therefore, it would seem that the management and maintenance of the State of Maine Building on the grounds of the Eastern States Exposition at West Springfield, Massachusetts more properly belongs within the scope of activities belonging to the Maine Department of Agriculture.

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The amount requested for appropriation is in addition to the amount budgeted to the Department of Commerce and Industry for the 1974 and 1975 fiscal years and is necessary to accomplish needed building improvements. Anticipated revenue to the General Fund from space rental in the building totals approximately \$2,000 each fiscal year.

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