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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1077

S. P. 363

In Senate, February 27, 1973

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Graffam of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Providing Pensions for Former Governors and their Widows.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 10, amended. Subsection 10 of section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 467 of the public laws of 1967 and as repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 574 of the public laws of 1969, is amended to read as follows:

10. **Former Governors and widows of Governors.** ~~The A former Governor and the unremarried widow of a Governor shall become entitled to a retirement allowance at the rate of $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ of the annual salary being paid the current Governor on the date the application for benefits is received by the board of trustees. Said retirement allowance shall become effective on the date that the board of trustees receives written application from such widow. The benefits shall begin at age 65. Such adjustments as are granted under section 1128 shall be applied to these payments.~~

STATEMENT OF FACT

The bill provides a pension for former Governors and their widows at age 65.