

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1397

H. P. 1072

House of Representatives, March 7, 1973

Referred to the Committee on Transportation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Birt of East Millinocket.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Allocations from the General Highway
Fund for the Repair of Certain Bridges in Baxter State Park.

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

Whereas, maintenance of certain roads in Baxter State Park is the responsibility of the Maine Department of Transportation and certain bridges on said roads are in need of repair; 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:

P. & S. L., 1955, c. 186, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 186 of the private and special laws of 1955, as amended by section 2 of chapter 229 of the private and special laws of 1963, and as amended by chapter 157 and section 1 of chapter 161, both of the private and special laws of 1969, is further amended by adding after the first sentence, 3 new sentences to read as follows:

There is allocated from the General Highway Fund the following: For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1973 the amount of \$20,000. This sum will be in addition to the \$32,000 per year limitation. Any remaining balance of the

\$20,000 on June 30, 1973 shall not lapse but shall be transferred for use during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to reconstruct a couple of bridges in Baxter State Park that are badly deteriorated.