

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1358

House of Representatives, April 4, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Smith of Dover-Foxcroft.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-THREE

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**AN ACT to Appropriate Additional Matching Funds for Social Services.**

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

**Department of Health and Welfare; appropriation.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Health and Welfare, the sum of \$1,208,654 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974 and 1,049,828 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, to provide state funds to match federal funds estimated to be available for social services. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1973-74	1974-75
HEALTH AND WELFARE, DEPARTMENT OF		
All Other	\$1,208,654	\$1,049,828

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this appropriation is to provide additional state matching funds for social services to assist Maine people in the areas of employment, self-help and self-care. State funds appropriated will be matched with federal funds at the rate of 3:1, primarily under Title IV-A and XVI of the Social Security Act. This appropriation will assist the State of Maine to take full advantage of the federal dollars available to Maine for social services.