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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1832, L.D. 2323, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Expending Cumberland County Funds at County Jail and Recreation Center."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the title and inserting in place thereof the following:

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

Whereas, immediate expansion of the Cumberland County Jail and Recreation Center is needed to meet the public need; and

Whereas, it is imperative that construction begin at the earliest possible time to avoid additional costs; 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:

R.S., T. 30, §421, additional. Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 421 to read as follows:

§421. Expending funds at County Jail and Recreation Center; Cumberland County

The county commissioners of Cumberland County are authorized to expend up to \$30,000 of unappropriated surplus of county funds for the construction of a roof over the work yard at the county jail and \$3,000 for the Cumberland County Recreation Center in Portland.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved. *(Filing No. H-647)*

Statement of Fact

It is the intent of this amendment to allocate this Act to the Revised Statutes, add an emergency preamble and to provide such funds from unappropriated surplus of county funds.

Reported by the Committee on County Government.

Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House.

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