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E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FOUR

AN ACT Providing for the Biweekly Payment of Wages to State Employees.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 10, amended. Section 10 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 10. Payment of wages

All state officers and employees ~~except temporary and seasonal employees~~ shall be paid their salaries or wages ~~weekly~~ biweekly, the dates of payment to be determined by the State Controller. Any state officer, whose salary is established at an annual rate, shall receive ~~weekly~~ biweekly a sum which will, in the year's aggregate, most nearly equal the annual rate. Payment may be made once in each calendar month ~~or fortnightly~~ to such state officers and employees as consent to such time of payment. ~~Temporary and seasonal employees of the State shall be paid at such times as the Commissioner of Finance and Administration shall specify~~

Sec. 2. Appropriation reduction. There is reduced from the appropriation from the General Fund to the Bureau of Accounts and Control the sum of \$27,750 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975 to carry out the purposes of section 1. The breakdown shall be as follows:

1974-75

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Accounts and Control

All Other

(\$27,750)

Provides for reduced computer costs due to implementation of biweekly payrolls for state officers and employees.