

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 493

H. P. 404

House of Representatives, January 30, 1975

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Quinn of Gorham. (By Request).

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Forbid the Expenditure of State Funds for Abortions.

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

5 MRSA, § 1510 is enacted to read:

§ 1510. Expenditure of state funds for abortions prohibited in certain instances

No funds shall be expended by any state agency for the purpose of paying for or reimbursing, directly or indirectly, any expenses connected with the performance of an abortion. This section shall not apply if, in the judgment of the state agency expending any funds, those funds are to be used to pay or to reimburse expenses connected with an abortion which is necessary to preserve the life of the woman undergoing the abortion.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This Act forbids the expenditure of state funds for abortions.