

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1432

H. P. 1138

House of Representatives, March 24, 1975

On Motion of Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Goodwin of Bath.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT Appropriating Funds to the Advisory Council
on the Status of Women.

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

P&SL, 1973, c. 129, Pt. B, § 9 is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

Sec. 9. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$4,630 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976 and the sum of \$5,100 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977 to the Advisory Council on the Status of Women to carry out the purposes of Part B of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

	1975-76	1976-77
ADVISORY COUNCIL ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN		
All Other	\$4,630	\$5,100

STATEMENT OF FACT

In 1963 in response to a growing recognition of discriminatory practices against American women, President John F. Kennedy urged all states to form advisory councils on the status of women. Since 1964 the State of Maine has had such a council and 49 such councils exist nationwide. This Act funds

the Maine Advisory Council on the Status of Women and pays primarily for travel expenses for council members to attend meetings, for stationery, postage, printing, room rental fees for meetings and conferences, dues to the Interstate Association of Commissions on the Status of Women and other incidental expenses.