

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1902

S. P. 534

In Senate, May 22, 1975

Reported by Senator Huber of Cumberland from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and printed under Joint Rules No. 18 pursuant to Joint Order (S. P. 522).

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE**

AN ACT Making Additional Appropriations from the General Fund for the Expenditures of State Government and for Other Purposes for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1975.

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

Whereas, the said 90-day period will not terminate until after the beginning of the next fiscal year; and

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses necessary for the operation of departments and institutions will become due and payable before July 1, 1975; 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:

Appropriations for necessary expenditures of State Government. In order to provide for necessary expenditures of State Government and other purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975 the following sums or as much thereof as shall severally be found necessary, as designated in the following tabulations, are appropriated out of any moneys in the General Fund not otherwise appropriated.

Appropriation from
General Fund

1974-75

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

District Court Administration

Unallocated

\$100,000

Provides additional funds for District Court operations. Increases Undedicated Revenue for 1974-75 by \$100,000.

EDUCATION AND CULTURE

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES,
DEPARTMENT OF

Education—General Purpose Aid for
Local Schools

All Other

5,434,465

Provides additional funds for the municipal share of the deficit on educational subsidy payments due in fiscal year 1974-75.

LEGISLATIVE

All Other

200,000

Provides additional funds for the operation of the Legislature.

MANPOWER AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF

Public Employees Labor Relations Board

Personal Services

4,500

All Other

1,913

Provides additional funds to enable the Panel of Mediators to continue operations for the balance of this fiscal year.

MARINE RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

Marine Resources—Enforcement Division

Capital Expenditures

98,629

Provides funds to enable the purchase of radio equipment necessary to connect with the new Maine Enforcement Communications Network. Any amounts recovered from L.E.A.A. in federal funds shall be credited to General Fund Undedicated Revenue.

ATTORNEY GENERAL—Operations

Personal Services

4,700

All Other

1,300

Provides funds to continue the law enforcement education section in this department for balance of this fiscal year.

| | Appropriation from General Fund |
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| | 1974-75 |
| TREASURER OF STATE | |
| Treasurer—Departmental Operations | |
| All Other | \$ 9,817 |
| Provides funds for business inventory tax reimbursement for Town of Bucksport for 1974. | |
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| TOTAL GENERAL FUND | \$5,855,324 |

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is stated in the emergency preamble.