

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 2093

H. P. 1906 House of Representatives, January 26, 1976
Referred to the Committee on Local and County Government. Sent up for
concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Mitchell of Vassalboro.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SIX

AN ACT Concerning Municipal Appropriations to Incorporated Volunteer
Fire Departments.

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

30 MRSA § 5102, sub-§ 4, ¶ A, as amended by PL 1967, c. 329, is further
amended to read:

A. When a sum ~~not in excess of \$1,000~~ has been appropriated for the use
of the department, the municipal officers may issue their warrant to the
municipal treasurer requiring him to pay the amount of the appropriation
to the treasurer of the volunteer fire department;

STATEMENT OF FACT

Title 30, section 5102 presently states that when a municipality appropriates a sum not exceeding \$1,000 to an incorporated volunteer fire department, the municipal officers may issue their warrant to the municipal treasurer requiring him to pay the amount of the appropriation to the treasurer of the volunteer fire department. This bill removes the \$1,000 limit as that limit is unreasonable in view of the present costs of operating volunteer fire departments.