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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A " to H.P. 9, L.D. 19, Bill, "AN ACT Relating to Removal of County Buildings."

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Amend the Bill by inserting before the enacting clause the following:

'<u>Emergency preamble</u>. Wheras, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, public assistance funds will be available for purposes of this legislation upon application; and

Whereas, the county must be vested with control in order to apply for these funds; and

Whereas, time is of the essence in order to make applicatio to carry out the intended purposes; 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,

Further amend the Bill by inserting at the end, before the statement of fact, the following:

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'<u>Emergency clause.</u> In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to put an emergency preamble and an emergency clause on the original bill.

Filed by Mr. Burns of Anson.

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