

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 119

H. P. 92 House of Representatives, January 19, 1977
Referred to Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Mackel of Wells.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

**RESOLVE, Reimbursing Certain Municipalities on Account of Taxes Lost
Due to Lands being Classified under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law.**

Reimbursements to be paid to certain municipalities. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$350,807.52 to reimburse certain municipalities for taxes lost for 1975 and 1976 by reason of forest lands being classified under the provisions of Maine's Tree Growth Tax Law pursuant to the Revised Statutes, Title 36, section 578, subsection 1:

	1975	1976	Totals
Androscoggin County			
Durham	—	\$ 706.32	\$ 706.32
Minot	—	76.72	76.72
Aroostook County			
Chapman	—	661.59	661.59
Crystal	382.20	—	382.20
Dyer Brook	3,465.46	1,660.58	5,126.04
Easton	38.14	58.17	96.31
Oakfield	835.56	—	835.56
Portage Lake	—	455.69	455.69
Weston	—	262.87	262.87
Cumberland County			
Baldwin	—	9.31	9.31
Bridgton	—	1,516.44	1,516.44
Brunswick	743.43	683.89	1,427.32
Casco	139.59	—	139.59

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Falmouth	—	354.54	354.54
Freeport	2,855.37	4,806.97	7,662.34
Gray	1,291.80	1,868.01	3,159.81
Harpswell	465.57	565.01	1,030.58
Harrison	2,154.74	1,878.51	4,033.25
Naples	1,388.46	1,120.81	2,509.27
Otisfield	827.68	747.56	1,575.24
Portland	—	32.85	32.85
Raymond	649.02	—	649.02
Scarborough	617.14	707.50	1,324.64
Standish	1,859.49	2,741.85	4,601.34
Windham	186.62	—	186.62
Franklin County			
Carrabasset Valley	1,785.00	—	1,785.00
Chesterville	—	2,496.00	2,496.00
Dallas Pkt.	1,920.93	1,221.12	3,142.05
Farmington	664.95	765.95	1,430.90
Industry	—	1,505.37	1,505.37
Kingfield	2,552.49	2,321.82	4,874.31
New Sharon	1,987.18	3,570.60	5,557.78
New Vineyard	382.48	509.73	892.21
Temple	2,154.07	3,419.89	5,573.96
Weld	7,566.29	12,990.58	20,556.87
Wilton	—	263.45	263.45
Hancock County			
Bar Harbor	—	96.91	96.91
Bucksport	—	137.34	137.34
Castine	—	278.09	278.09
Hancock	1,458.24	2,251.61	3,709.85
Lamoine	73.60	66.04	139.64
Mount Desert	—	8,054.89	8,054.89
Southwest Harbor	—	78.07	78.07
Sullivan	—	714.61	714.61
Surry	281.00	—	281.00
Trenton	58.74	47.88	106.62
Waltham	1,220.96	43.99	1,264.95
Winter Harbor	—	120.37	120.37
Kennebec County			
Belgrade	335.00	308.60	643.60
Fayette	11.35	—	11.35
Gardiner	1,985.50	1,986.24	3,971.74
Litchfield	—	27.09	27.09
Oakland	388.55	—	388.55
Rome	—	651.01	651.01

	1975	1976	Totals
Vienna	—	1,265.91	1,265.91
Windsor	675.00	1,061.22	1,736.22
Winslow	—	926.80	926.80
Winthrop	198.80	235.06	433.86
Knox County			
Rockport	1,615.48	1,653.56	3,269.04
Lincoln County			
Waldoboro	108.39	108.39	216.78
Oxford County			
Bethel	—	646.33	646.33
Buckfield	—	1,506.30	1,506.30
Canton	—	1,503.46	1,503.46
Dixfield	2,041.07	2,524.37	4,565.44
Fryeburg	—	978.02	978.02
Gilead	—	2,589.45	2,589.45
Greenwood	2,163.64	837.12	3,000.76
Hanover	118.20	49.95	168.15
Hartford	580.01	—	580.01
Hebron	26.29	10.04	36.33
Lovell	3,234.18	3,305.71	6,539.89
Newry	9,041.27	8,714.56	17,755.83
Norway	530.08	710.42	1,240.50
Paris	88.47	86.68	175.15
Peru	2,394.69	2,064.44	4,459.13
Porter	—	1,205.06	1,205.06
Roxbury	486.74	2,687.79	3,174.53
Sumner	1,693.00	—	1,693.00
Sweden	2,948.87	2,927.54	5,876.41
Upton	—	805.96	805.96
Waterford	—	1,410.35	1,410.35
Woodstock	3,832.00	4,173.89	8,005.89
Penobscot County			
Charleston	967.05	937.44	1,904.49
Clifton	431.20	—	431.20
Corinth	714.61	2,341.41	3,056.02
Eddington	—	550.45	550.45
Exeter	22.53	41.07	63.60
Garland	1,197.92	1,947.35	3,145.27
Greenfield	2,719.76	4,999.26	7,719.02
Howland	—	229.95	229.95
Hudson	—	2,966.41	2,966.41
Lincoln	2,288.23	3,071.07	5,359.30
Lowell	—	3,646.18	3,646.18

	1975	1976	Totals
Medway	985.07	1,756.30	2,741.37
Milford	5,523.38	3,080.98	8,604.36
Mount Chase Plt.	—	4,794.28	4,794.28
Newport	—	1,174.11	1,174.11
Orono	102.70	82.94	185.64
Piscataquis County			
Abbott	924.00	897.76	1,821.76
Atkinson	—	570.32	570.32
Dover-Foxcroft	5,195.98	2,975.54	8,171.52
Monson	—	2,491.65	2,491.65
Sangerville	—	47.76	47.76
Shirley	3,363.36	—	3,363.36
Somerset County			
Canaan	—	1,979.27	1,979.27
Cornville	—	291.47	291.47
Jackman	—	5,272.70	5,272.70
Madison	56.57	89.50	146.07
Moose River	4,776.58	6,183.80	10,960.38
Norridgewock	307.81	80.41	388.22
Pittsfield	259.30	—	259.30
St. Albans	—	854.38	854.38
Waldo County			
Belfast	955.21	979.13	1,934.34
Burnham	4,433.34	3,982.16	8,415.50
Frankfort	—	136.80	136.80
Palermo	—	54.22	54.22
Troy	—	456.81	456.81
Washington County			
Addison	—	599.04	599.04
Alexander	—	5,777.23	5,777.23
Beddington	3,952.60	1,138.85	5,091.45
Calais	1,149.75	961.16	2,110.91
Columbia Falls	95.73	1,501.63	1,597.36
Crawford	—	2,640.17	2,640.17
Cutler	1,887.46	947.06	2,834.52
Danforth	1,750.37	—	1,750.37
Harrington	—	26.61	26.61
Machiasport	—	68.66	68.66
Marshfield	703.01	—	703.01
Meddybemps	26.88	12.81	39.69
Milbridge	745.87	723.30	1,469.17
Vanceboro	2,458.56	2,744.51	5,203.07

York County

Alfred	713.05	607.80	1,320.85
Cornish	770.24	940.32	1,710.56
Eliot	—	377.71	377.71
Lebanon	1,717.34	2,077.56	3,794.90
Limington	3,100.50	5,206.72	8,307.22
Newfield	—	92.69	92.69
Parsonsfield	13,120.78	12,819.13	25,939.91
Saco	—	456.92	456.92
Sanford	—	926.21	926.21
Wells	—	448.21	448.21
Totals	\$141,919.52	\$208,888.00	\$350,807.52

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to reimburse certain municipalities on account of taxes lost due to lands being classified under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law.