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#### SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

# **Legislative Document**

No. 1912

H. P. 1876

Office of the Clerk of the House

The Committee on Legal Affairs suggested. Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 24.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. McBreairty of Perham Cosponsor: Mr. Peterson of Caribou

### STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT

RESOLVE, to Appeal the Decision of State Claims Board Regarding Property Damage Claims from Collapse of Building at Northern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute.

Claims appeal to the Legislature. Resolved: That the decision of the State Claims Board be appealed to the Legislature pursuant to the Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1510, subsection 1; and be it further

Resolved: That there is appropriated from the General Fund the sum of \$3,129.35 to reimburse the following persons in the amounts indicated as a full and final settlement of their claims for property damage against the State due to the collapse of a building at Northern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute:

Adelbert Sutherland Gerald Vaughan \$ 764.35 2,365.00

\$3,129.35

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This resolve will reimburse Adlebert Sutherland of Caribou and Gerald Vaughan of Washburn the sum of \$3, 129.35 for damage to their automobiles caused by the collapse of a building belonging to Northern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute on December 27, 1976. Mr. Sutherland and Mr. Vaughan have submitted their claims to the State Claims Board under Title 5, section 1510, and the State Claims Board, by a split decision on May 8, 1977, voted to deny their claims.

In accordance with Title 5, section 1510, and with Joint Rule 35, "Claims decision against the State," this bill is being submitted as an appeal of the State Claims Board decision.