

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (Filing No. H-708)  
109TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 587, L.D. 734, Bill, "AN ACT Making Adjustments in the Basic Need Standards and Payment Maximums of the Aid to Families with Dependent Children Program."

Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following: 'AN ACT to Increase the Payment of Aid to Families with Dependent Children.'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting in its place the following:

'Appropriation; aid to families with dependent children. The percentage of needs payment shall be changed from 95% of 1969 standard of need to 67.5% of 1973 standard of need effective October 1, 1979 and the following amounts are appropriated therefor:

	<u>1979-80</u>	<u>1980-81</u>
HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF		
Aid to Families with Dependent Children		
All Other	\$ 896,250	\$1,195,000
Medical Care	<u>296,250</u>	<u>395,000</u>
Total Department of Human Services	\$1,192,500	\$1,590,000

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to increase aid to families with dependent children payments from 95% of 1969 standard <sup>of need</sup> / to 67.5% of 1973 standard of need.