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ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 741

H. P. 597

House of Representatives, February 23, 1979

On Motion of Mr. Hobbins of Saco, referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Gillis of Calais.

Cosponsors: Mr. Wyman of Pittsfield and Mr. Silsby of Ellsworth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT to Abolish County Subsidies to the Superior Court System.

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

Sec. 1. 4 MRSA § 115, first ¶, 2nd sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 735, § 4, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 4 MRSA § 118, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 383, § 4, is repealed.

Sec. 3. 15 MRSA § 1320, sub-§ 1, as amended by PL 1977, c. 63, is further amended to read:

1. Payments. Payments made hereunder shall be made from the county treasury upon authorization of the prosecuting attorney, unless otherwise expressly directed by law ~~and the payments shall be made from the sums set aside in the county budget for the payments on account of Superior Court criminal proceedings.~~

Sec. 4. 15 MRSA § 1320, sub-§ 2, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 775, § 1, is repealed.

Sec. 5. Effective date. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill will abolish county subsidies to the Superior Court system, effective July 1, 1980.