



STATE OF MAINE SENATE 109TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

(Filing No. S-397)

SENATE AMENDMENT "D " to S. P. 617, L.D. 1679, Bill, "AN ACT to Increase the Expenses for Legislators, to Increase the Compensation for the Attorney General, Justices, Judges and District Attorneys and to Appropriate Funds for the Probate Court System Study."

Amend the bill by striking out all of the title and inserting in its place the following : 'AN ACT to Increase the Expenses for Legislators, to Increase the Compensation for the Constitutional Officers, Justices, Judges, and District Attorneys and to Appropriate Funds for the Probate Court System Study.'

Further /Amend the Bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble. Further amend the Bill in section 1 by striking out all of paragraphs A, B and C of subsection 1 and inserting in their place the following:

'A. Secretary of State.....\$25,000

B. State Auditor.....\$25,000

C. Treasurer of State....\$25,000'

Further amend the Bill in section 3 by striking out in the 3rd line from the end (2nd line in L.D.) the underlined figure "<u>\$18</u>" and inserting in its place the underlined figure '\$20'

Further amend the Bill in section 4 by striking out in the last line (next to last line in L.D.) the underlined figure "<u>\$18</u>" and inserting in its place the underlined figure '\$20'

Further amend the Bill in section 10 by striking out all of subsection 3 of that part designated "<u>§553-B.</u>" and inserting in its place the following: Senate Amendment "D " to S. P. 617, L.D. 1679 -2-

'3. Additional sums. In addition to the annual salary as set forth in subsection 1, each district attorney shall receive such additional sums for which he qualifies under the following provisions:

A. \$700 for each full calendar year of prior service as an elected or appointed Attorney General, Deputy Attorney General, United States Attorney or district attorney within the State of Maine;

B. \$300 for each 50,000 persons constituting the population of his district according to the latest Federal Dicennial Census;

C. \$300 for each county within the district;

D. \$200 for each full calendar year of prior service

as assistant district attorney, assistant United States

attorney or assistant attorney general; and

E. \$ 300 for each full calendar year of prior service as an elected or appointed county attorney.

Further amend the Bill in section 10 by striking out all of subsection 5 of that part designated "<u>§553-B.</u>" and inserting in its place the following:

'5. Salary; exception. In no event shall the salary of any district attorney exceed that of a Judge of the District Court.' Senate Amendment "D " to S. P. 617, L.D. 1679 -3-

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Further amend the Bill in section 13 by striking out 2 all of the last/lines and inserting in their place the following:

'Personal Services	74,898	65,096
Total	\$205,216	\$334,847'

Further amend the Bill by inserting after section 14 the following:

'Sec. 15. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of section 1.

	1979-80	1980-81
SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT	OF	
Personal Services	\$2,874	\$2,874
AUDIT, DEPARTMENT OF		
Personal Services	5,748	5,748
TREASURY, DEPARTMENT OF		
Personal Services	8,047	8,047'
Further amend the Bill by	striking out all	of section 15
and inserting in its place the	2	
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'Sec. 16. Retroactivity. Sections/ of this Act shall be retroactive to July 1, 1979. Sections 9 and 10 of this Act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1979.'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of the emergency clause.

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## Statement of Fact

This amendment adds the other constitutional officers, adjusts the travel expenses of Legislators and adjusts the salaries of district attorneys and adjusts the appropriations accordingly.

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COUNTY: Knox

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