

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

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ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

No. 1941

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S.P. 703

In Senate, January 16, 1984

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.  
Ordered printed and sent down for concurrence.

Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint  
Rule 26.

JOY J O'BRIEN, Secretary

Presented by Senator Perkins of Hancock.

Cosponsors: Senator Trafton of Androscoggin, Representative Smith of  
Mars Hill and Representative Nelson of Portland.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR

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**AN ACT to appropriate Funds to the  
Maine State Commission on the Arts and the  
Humanities for the Maine Touring Artists  
Program.**

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**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts of the Legis-  
lature do not become effective until 90 days after  
adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Maine Touring Artists Program pro-  
vides assistance to local not-for-profit community  
sponsoring agencies which bring professional artists  
to their communities for performances, workshops,  
demonstrations and residencies; and

Whereas, requests for the next fiscal year are  
expected to be more than double the amount currently  
budgeted for the program; and



1 strations and residencies. Currently budgeted at  
2 \$39,000 for fiscal year 1984-85, the commission ex-  
3 pects requests for funds to be well over \$100,000 for  
4 that year.

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