

	(EMERGENCY) (After Deadline)
	SECOND REGULAR SESSION
ONE	HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
Legislative Doc	cument No. 2183
H.P. 1650	House of Representatives, March 6, 1984
pursuant to Join	the Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and
	EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk presentative Crouse of Washburn. Senator McBreairty of Aroostook.
- <u>-</u>	STATE OF MAINE
N	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD INETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR
AN AC	F Relating to the State Valuation of the Town of Washburn.
lature do	cy preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legis- not become effective until 90 days after unless enacted as emergencies; and
Whereas valuation; a	, county taxes are based upon the state and
Whereas, by April 198	, the county tax rate must be stablished 34; and
lation be pa	, it is vitally necessary that this legis- assed as an emergency in order to become rior to April 1, 1984; and

1 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, 2 these facts create an emergency within the meaning of 3 the Constitution of Maine and require the following 4 legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-5 vation of the public peace, health and safety; now, 6 therefore,

7 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as 8 follows:

9 Town of Washburn; state valuation. For the pur-10 poses of determining the amount of school subsidies to which the Washburn School System shall be eligible 11 12 to receive for fiscal year 1984-85 an apportionment 13 county taxes for fiscal year 1984 and any other of 14applications where state aid or subsidies are re-15 quired, the state valuation of the Town of Washburn shall be set at \$27,100,000. The valuation shall be 16 17 used in determining the per pupil valuation of the 18 Town of Washburn as set forth by statute.

19 Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited 20 in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when ap-21 proved.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

23 The State of Maine Municipal Valuation Appeals Board voted to reduce the valuation for the Town of 24 25 Washburn by \$3,500,000 to reflect substantial losses 26 of 2 of the town's major industries, those losses be-27 ing the removal of personnel, machinery and equipment 28 in the amount of \$2,195,206 for McCain Foods and \$1,320,106 for R. T. French. 29 This bill establishes 30 that the state valuation for Washburn is \$27,100,000 31 the amount agreed upon by the appeals board.

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