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ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, April 6, 1984

Submitted by the Joint Standing Committee on Local and County Government pursuant to H.P. 1572.

Reported by Representative McHenry from the Committee on Local and County Government pursuant to H.P. 1572 and printed under Joint Rule 2.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Revise the Salaries of
Certain County Officers.

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

Whereas, it has become necessary to revise the salaries of certain county officials; and

Whereas, these revisions are vitally necessary at the earliest possible time this law can become effective; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

3 30 MRSA §2, sub-§1, as amended by PL 1983, c.
4 228, is further amended to read:

5 1. County officers' salaries. The county commis-
6 sioners, treasurers, sheriffs, judges of probate,
7 registers of probate and registers of deeds in the
8 several counties shall receive annual salaries from
9 the county treasury, in weekly, biweekly or monthly
10 payments, as follows:

11 A. Androscoggin County:

12	(1) Commissioners		
13	(a) Chairman		\$ 5,050
14	(b) Members		4,250
15	(2) Treasurer	15,000	<u>16,050</u>
16	(3) Sheriff	18,050	<u>19,313</u>
17	(4) Judge of probate	10,069	<u>10,774</u>
18	(5) Register of probate	13,520	<u>14,966</u>
19	(6) Register of deeds	14,300	<u>15,301</u>

20 B. Aroostook County:

21	(1) Commissioners		
22	(a) Chairman		\$ 8,556
23	(b) Members		4,400
24	(2) Treasurer		6,600
25	(3) Sheriff		17,000
26	(4) Judge of probate		9,350
27	(5) Register of probate		10,500

1	(6)	Register of deeds		
2	(a)	Northern District		12,600
3	(b)	Southern District		12,600
4	C.	Cumberland County:		
5	(1)	Commissioners		
6	(a)	Chairman	\$ 6,192	
7	(b)	Members	6,192	
8	(2)	Treasurer		11,994
9	(3)	Sheriff		22,225
10	(4)	Judge of probate		14,322
11	(5)	Register of probate		11,824
12	(6)	Register of deeds		11,994
13	D.	Franklin County:		
14	(1)	Commissioners		
15	(a)	Chairman	\$ 3,875	<u>4,069</u>
16	(b)	Members	3,675	<u>3,859</u>
17	(2)	Treasurer	4,012	<u>4,212</u>
18	(3)	Sheriff	19,260	<u>20,223</u>
19	(4)	Judge of probate	8,500	<u>8,925</u>
20	(5)	Register of probate	12,261	<u>12,874</u>
21	(6)	Register of deeds	12,686	<u>13,321</u>
22	E.	Hancock County:		
23	(1)	Commissioners		
24	(a)	Chairman	\$ 5,224	<u>5,486</u>

1	(b) Members	4,835	<u>5,077</u>
2	(2) Treasurer	12,192	<u>12,692</u>
3	(3) Sheriff	19,042	<u>19,994</u>
4	(4) Judge of probate	10,731	<u>11,231</u>
5	(5) Register of probate	10,281	<u>10,781</u>
6	(6) Register of deeds	11,464	<u>12,692</u>
7	F. Kennebec County:		
8	(1) Commissioners		
9	(a) Chairman		\$ 5,274
10	(b) Members		4,922
11	(2) Treasurer		7,616
12	(3) Sheriff	18,983	<u>20,501</u>
13	(4) Judge of probate		12,187
14	(5) Register of probate	13,502	<u>14,582</u>
15	(6) Register of deeds	13,502	<u>14,582</u>
16	G. Knox County:		
17	(1) Commissioners		
18	(a) Chairman	\$ 3,508	<u>3,683</u>
19	(b) Members	3,165	<u>3,323</u>
20	(2) Treasurer	4,946	<u>5,193</u>
21	(3) Sheriff	16,891	<u>17,735</u>
22	(4) Judge of probate	10,239	<u>10,751</u>
23	(5) Register of probate	10,904	<u>11,449</u>
24	(6) Register of deeds	12,670	<u>13,304</u>

1	H. Lincoln County:		
2	(1) Commissioners		
3	(a) Chairman	\$ 4,375	<u>4,590</u>
4	(b) Members	3,675	<u>3,860</u>
5	(2) Treasurer	4,270	<u>4,480</u>
6	(3) Sheriff	19,626	<u>20,907</u>
7	(4) Judge of probate		10,800
8	(5) Register of probate	12,474	<u>13,098</u>
9	(6) Register of deeds	15,362	<u>16,430</u>
10	I. Oxford County:		
11	(1) Commissioners		
12	(a) Chairman	\$ 4,038	<u>4,538</u>
13	(b) Members	3,634	<u>4,134</u>
14	(2) Treasurer	5,155	<u>5,464</u>
15	(3) Sheriff	18,979	<u>20,118</u>
16	(4) Judge of probate	10,746	<u>11,391</u>
17	(5) Register of probate	12,332	<u>13,072</u>
18	(6) Register of deeds		
19	(a) Eastern District	12,710	<u>13,472</u>
20	(b) Western District	9,313	<u>9,872</u>
21	J. Penobscot County:		
22	(1) Commissioners		
23	(a) Chairman	\$ 6,344	<u>6,552</u>
24	(b) Members	6,032	<u>6,240</u>

1	(2) Treasurer	1,300	<u>1,820</u>
2	(3) Sheriff	19,136	<u>19,760</u>
3	(4) Judge of probate	16,120	<u>16,640</u>
4	(5) Register of probate	14,768	<u>15,756</u>
5	(6) Register of deeds	14,768	<u>15,756</u>
6	K. Piscataquis County:		
7	(1) Commissioners		
8	(a) Chairman	\$ 3,700	<u>3,885</u>
9	(b) Members	3,000	<u>3,150</u>
10	(2) Treasurer	4,000	<u>4,200</u>
11	(3) Sheriff	17,000	<u>17,850</u>
12	(4) Judge of probate	9,900	<u>10,395</u>
13	(5) Register of probate	11,150	<u>11,708</u>
14	(6) Register of deeds	11,558	<u>12,136</u>
15	L. Sagadahoc County:		
16	(1) Commissioners		
17	(a) Chairman	\$ 3,136	<u>3,292</u>
18	(b) Members	2,845	<u>2,987</u>
19	(2) Treasurer	5,999	<u>6,299</u>
20	(3) Sheriff	15,799	<u>16,589</u>
21	(4) Judge of probate	11,052	<u>11,605</u>
22	(5) Register of probate	12,076	<u>12,680</u>
23	(6) Register of deeds		<u>13,530</u>
24	M. Somerset County:		

1	(1) Commissioners		
2	(a) Chairman	\$ 3,710	
3	(b) Members	3,180	
4	(2) Treasurer	7,282	<u>7,646</u>
5	(3) Sheriff	17,490	<u>20,000</u>
6	(4) Judge of probate	11,660	<u>12,243</u>
7	(5) Register of probate	12,296	<u>12,911</u>
8	(6) Register of deeds	11,214	<u>12,311</u>
9	N. Waldo County:		
10	(1) Commissioners		
11	(a) Chairman	\$ 2,632	<u>2,738</u>
12	(b) Members	2,632	<u>2,738</u>
13	(2) Treasurer	3,815	<u>5,200</u>
14	(3) Sheriff	17,523	<u>18,224</u>
15	(4) Judge of probate	10,242	<u>10,652</u>
16	(5) Register of probate	11,319	<u>11,772</u>
17	(6) Register of deeds	11,319	<u>11,772</u>
18	O. Washington County:		
19	(1) Commissioners		
20	(a) Chairman	\$ 4,505	
21	(b) Members	3,755	
22	(2) Treasurer	10,340	<u>10,960</u>
23	(3) Sheriff	18,773	<u>19,899</u>
24	(4) Judge of probate	11,715	<u>12,418</u>

