

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 672

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7 S.P. 263

In Senate, February 26, 1985

8 Reference to the Committee on Taxation is suggested and ordered
9 printed.

10 JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator Baldacci of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Representative Duffy of Bangor.

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12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE
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17 AN ACT to Increase Income Limitations Under
18 the Elderly Householders Tax and Rent
19 Refund Act and to Remove People in
20 Subsidized Housing from the Program.
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22 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
23 follows:

24 Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §6108, as amended by PL 1981, c.
25 698, §189, is further amended to read:

26 §6108. Income limitation

27 No claim otherwise allowable may be granted to
28 claimants of single member households with household
29 income in excess of \$5,600 in calendar year 1980 and
30 \$6,200 in each succeeding year \$9,400 in the year for
31 which relief is requested; and no claim otherwise al-
32 lowable may be granted to claimants of households of 2
33 or more members with income in excess of \$6,700 in
34 calendar year 1980 and \$7,400 in each succeeding year
35 \$11,200 in the year for which relief is requested.

1 Sec. 2. 36 MRSA §6108-A is enacted to read:

2 §6108-A. Claimants living in subsidized housing

3 No claim otherwise allowable may be granted to
4 claimants who live in subsidized housing. For the
5 purposes of this section, "subsidized housing" means
6 housing which is funded in whole or in part by any
7 state or federal money, grants or programs.

8 STATEMENT OF FACT

9 The purpose of this bill is to increase the in-
10 come limitations under the Elderly Householders Tax
11 and Rent Refund Act to \$9,400 for single member
12 households and to \$11,200 for multimember households.
13 The bill also makes persons living in subsidized
14 housing ineligible under the Act.

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