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L.D. 941
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STATE OF MAINE
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112TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 346, L.D. 941,
Bill, "AN ACT to Provide for Contingency Needs of In-
termediate Care Facilities for the Mentally Re-
tarded."

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Amend the bill in section 2, in that part desig-
nated "§5437." in subsection 3, paragraph B, in the
last line (page 2, line 20 in L.D.) by striking out
the following: "medications;" and inserting in its
place the following: 'medications; or'

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Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part
designated "§5437." in subsection 3, in paragraph C,
in the last line (page 2, line 22 in L.D.) by strik-
ing out the following: "treatment;" and inserting in
its place the following: 'treatment.'

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Further amend the bill in section 2 in that part
designated "§5437." in subsection 3, by striking out
all of paragraphs D, E and F (page 2, lines 23 to 29
in L.D.)

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Further amend the bill in section 2, in that part
designated "§5437." in subsection 4 by adding at the
end the following:

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'No disbursement may be made unless evidence is pro-
vided that the expense is not reimbursable by the
Medicaid Program. It is the intent of the Legisla-
ture that the contingency fund established in this
section be the funding source of last resort.'

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Further amend the bill by striking out all of
section 3 and inserting in its place the following:

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'Sec. 3. Appropriation. The following funds are
appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A " to S.P. 346, L.D. 941

1 purposes of this Act.

2 1985-86 1986-87

3 MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL
4 RETARDATION, DEPARTMENT OF

5 Bureau of Mental Retardation
6 All Other \$50,000 \$75,000

7 Funds to be used
8 to establish a
9 contingency fund
10 which will pro-
11 vide services
12 which are not
13 covered by
14 Medicaid to res-
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16 mediate care fa-
17 cilities for the
18 mentally re-
19 tarded.'

20 STATEMENT OF FACT

21 This amendment limits the scope of services that
22 may be covered by the contingency fund and specifies
23 that the fund is the source of last resort. It also
24 amends the appropriation.

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