

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

NO. 198

H.P. 157 House of Representatives, February 3, 1987
Reference to the Committee on Utilities suggested and
ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
Presented by Representative VOSE of Eastport.
Cosponsored by Senators KERRY of York, ERWIN of Oxford
and Representative NICHOLSON of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

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

1 AN ACT to make Allocations from the Public
2 Utilities Commission Regulatory Fund
3 and the Public Utilities Commission
4 Reimbursement Fund for the Fiscal
5 Years Ending June 30, 1988, and June
6 30, 1989.
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8 Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legis-
9 lature do not become effective until 90 days after
10 adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

11 Whereas, the 90-day period will not terminate un-
12 til after the beginning of the next fiscal year; and

13 Whereas, certain obligations and expenses inci-
14 dent to the operation of the department will become

1 due and payable on or immediately after July 1, 1987;
2 and

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

9 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
10 follows:

11 Sec. 1. Allocation of Public Utilities Commis-
12 sion Regulatory Fund and the Public Utilities Commis-
13 sion Reimbursement Fund. Income to the Public Utili-
14 ties Commission Regulatory Fund and the Public Utili-
15 ties Commission Reimbursement Fund for the next 2
16 fiscal years from July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988, and
17 from July 1, 1988, to June 30, 1989, shall be segre-
18 gated, apportioned and disbursed as designated in the
19 following schedule:

20		<u>1987-88</u>	<u>1988-89</u>
21	<u>PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION</u>		
22	Regulatory Fund		
23	Positions	(45)	(45)
24	Personal Services	\$1,463,453	\$1,544,445
25	All Other	604,347	524,755
26	Capital Expenditures	11,200	9,800
27	Reimbursement Fund		
28	All Other	250,000	250,000
29			
30	Total	<u>\$2,329,000</u>	<u>\$2,329,000</u>

31 Sec. 2. Adjustments to allocations. Allocations
32 may be increased or adjusted by the State Budget Of-
33 ficer, with the approval of the Governor, to specifi-
34 cally cover those adjustments determined to be neces-
35 sary under any salary plan approved by the Legisla-
36 ture and those reclassifications or range changes, or
37 both, which have been approved by the Office of Per-
38 sonnel and submitted for legislative review before

1 the effective date of this Act.

2 Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited
3 in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when ap-
4 proved.

5 STATEMENT OF FACT

6 The purpose of this bill is to make allocations
7 from the Public Utilities Commission Regulatory and
8 Reimbursement Funds for the fiscal years ending June
9 30, 1988, and June 30, 1989.

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