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## FIRST REGULAR SESSION

## ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

	Legislative Document	NO.	1113							
	H.P. 822 House of Representatives, April 7, 1987 Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested and ordered printed.  EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk Presented by Representative BAKER of Portland.									
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	STATE OF MAINE									
	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN									
1 2 3	AN ACT to Increase the Maximum Benefits the Workers' Compensation Act.	unde	er							
4 5	Be it enacted by the People of the State of follows:	Mair	ne as							
6 7 8	Sec. 1. 39 MRSA §53-A, as enacted by P. 372, Pt. A, §15, is repealed and the fol acted in its place:	L 198 lowir	35, c. ng en-							
9	§53-A. Maximum benefit levels									
10 11 12 13	The maximum weekly benefit payable under 54-A, 55-A or 58-A is 200% of the average with the State as computed by the Maine Under Insurance Commission.	eekly	wage							

1	Sec.	2. Applica	ation.	This	Act	applies	only	to
2	injuries	occurring	on or	after	the	effective	date	of
3	this Act.	* * *					1.5	

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to establish a maximum benefit level for workers' compensation benefits
equal to 200% of the average weekly wage in the State
as computed by the Maine Unemployment Insurance Commission. This maximum reflects the intent of Public
Law 1975, chapter 493.

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