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NO. 1635

H.P. 1200 House of Representatives, May 20, 1987 Reference to the Committee on Agriculture suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative WHITCOMB of Waldo. Cosponsored by Representatives PARENT of Benton, BRAGG of Sidney and NUTTING of Leeds.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Correct an Incorrect Personnel Description in the Law Relating to the Board of Pesticides Control.

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

8 Whereas, Public Law 1985, chapter 627, incorrect-9 ly describes the personnel intended to be funded by 10 that chapter; and

Whereas, this incorrect description defeats the purpose of the chapter, which was to enable the Board of Pesticides Control to hire a seasonal inspector to provide additional inspection capability during the May to October spray season; and

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Whereas, the correction of the description as 1 2 provided herein will enable the board to fulfill the purpose originally intended by the chapter; and 3 4 in the judgment of the Legislature, Whereas, 5 these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following 6 7 legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-8 vation of the public peace, health and safety; now, 9 therefore, 10 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: 11 12 Public Law 1985, c. 627, §2 is repealed and the 13 following enacted in its place: 14 Sec. 2. Allocation. The following funds are al-15 located from other special revenue to carry out the 16 purposes of this Act. 17 1986-87 1987-88 18 AGRICULTURE, RURAL FOOD AND 19 RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF 20 Board of Pesticide Control 21 Positions (1.0)(1.0)22 Personal Services \$ 3,700 \$11,200 23 All Other 7,000 27,100 24 Capital Expenditures 11,000 25 Total \$21,700 \$38,300

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Provides for the allocation of received funds in calendar year 1987 to hire a seasonal, full-time Pesticide Control Technician who will be employed from 1987 April to October, and replace to а 4-wheel drive truck, as well as to restore anticipated losses of federal grant money which has supported the board's ability to monitor pesticide use.

17 Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited 18 in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when ap-19 proved.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purposes of this bill are to correctly describe the position intended to be funded under the original bill, so that the purpose of this bill can be carried out, as more fully described in the emergency preamble, and to provide for the allocation of funds received in calendar year 1987 from pesticide registration fees, so that these funds can be used to employ a seasonal inspector in the April to October spray season.

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