

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SECOND REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

NO. 2212

H.P. 1619 House of Representatives, February 9, 1988
Approved for introduction by a majority of the
Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.
Reference to the Committee on Appropriations and
Financial Affairs suggested and ordered printed.
EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
Presented by Speaker MARTIN of Eagle Lake.
Cosponsored by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin,
Representatives OLIVER of Portland and LISNIK of Presque Isle.

STATE OF MAINE

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

1 **AN ACT to Improve the Standard of Living for**
2 **Maine's Low-Income Children.**
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4 **Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts of the
5 Legislature do not become effective until 90 days
6 after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

7 Whereas, the current maximum monthly payment for a
8 mother and child on the Aid to Families with Dependent
9 Children program is \$310; and

1 Medical Care-Payment to Providers
2 All Other 350,000
3 Provides funds to
4 cover increased
5 medical payments
6 resulting from
7 increase in Aid to
8 Families with
9 Dependent Children
10 standard of need.

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12 Total \$3,450,000

13 Sec. 2. Allocation. The following funds are
14 allocated from the Federal Expenditure Fund to carry
15 out the purposes of this Act.

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17 HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

18 Aid to Families with Dependent
19 Children
20 All Other \$6,316,768

21 Medical Care-Payment to
22 Providers
23 All Other 713,183

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25 Total \$7,029,951

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27 Emergency clause. In view of the emergency
28 cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when
approved.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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31 This bill provides funds for a 10% increase in the
32 Aid to Families with Dependent Children Standard of
33 Need and payment maximum in response to the compelling
need expressed in the emergency preamble.

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