

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 848

House of Representatives, March 21, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Housing and Economic Development suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

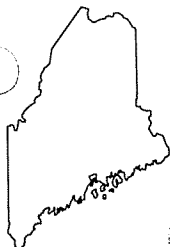
Presented by Representative OLIVER of Portland.

Cosponsored by Senator CONLEY of Cumberland, Representative ADAMS of Portland and Representative GEAN of Alfred.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

**An Act to Clarify the Duties of the Legal Staff of the Maine State
Housing Authority.**



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

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30-A MRSA §4723, sub-§2, ¶F is enacted to read:

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5 F. The Maine State Housing Authority shall have a general
6 counsel and such other staff attorneys as the director
7 determines necessary. The general counsel and any other
8 staff attorneys may represent the authority or its staff in
9 any proceeding, investigation or trial and perform other
10 functions and duties normally performed by attorneys. The
11 general counsel may not act in any other capacities or hold
12 any other positions, including policy-making positions,
13 within the authority.
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18 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

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20 This bill clarifies and limits the position of general
21 counsel of the Maine State Housing Authority to the general legal
22 duties of a general counsel in order to avoid conflicts of
23 interest, which may arise if the general counsel were to act in
24 other capacities or hold other positions within the authority.