

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
115TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "P" to H.P. 1402, L.D. 1985, Bill, "An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993 and to Change Certain Provisions of Law"

Amend the bill in Part M in section 14 in subsection 6 by striking out all of paragraph J (page 139, line 44 in L.D.)

Further amend the bill in Part M in section 14 in subsection 6 by relettering the paragraphs to read consecutively.

Further amend the bill by striking out all of Part MM and inserting in its place the following:

**PART MM**

**Child protective services report.** The Department of Human Services shall develop a plan for implementing changes within the child protective services programs to improve the identification of children at risk and the delivery of services to those children and their families and shall report back to the Joint Standing Committee on Human Resources and the Joint Standing Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs no later than February 1, 1992 with its proposals. In developing its proposal, the department shall consult with child abuse and neglect councils, the Department of the Attorney General and the Joint Standing Committee on Human Resources. The department may not act to reduce the number of child abuse and neglect councils or change the responsibilities of the councils without legislative approval."

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the emergency clause the following:



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operational support to provide services to  
750 additional child protective cases.

**Administration - Social Services**

Positions - Legislative Count	(3.0)
Personal Services	(26,200)
All Other	(5,013)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>(31,213)</b>

Provides for the deappropriation of funds for 3 months in fiscal year 1991-92 for one Human Services Caseworker Supervisor position to supervise the out-of-home abuse investigation unit, one Social Services Program Specialist I position to investigate child abuse and neglect in licensed child care facilities and one Social Services Program Specialist I position to license child-placing agencies.

**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

**TOTAL** (\$700,000)

**SECTION OO-1**

**TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS** (\$700,000)

**Sec. OO-2. Appropriation.** The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

**1991-92**

**CORRECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

**Probation and Parole**

Positions - Legislative Count	(3.0)
Personal Services	\$43,656
All Other	10,000
Capital Expenditures	6,750

Provides for an appropriation to fill 3 vacant Probation and Parole Officer positions and to increase training funds and capital purchases.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

**TOTAL** \$60,406

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

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**Office of Substance Abuse**

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All Other

\$118,900

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Provides for an appropriation of funds to maintain the residential rehabilitation program for low-income women.

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**Office of Substance Abuse**

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All Other

261,335

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Provides for an appropriation of funds to maintain a residential rehabilitation program for low-income pregnant and postpartum women.

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**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

**TOTAL**

\$380,235

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**HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

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**Medical Care - Payments to Providers**

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All Other

\$9,359

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Provides for an appropriation of funds for substance abuse services and to eliminate the Medicaid copayment.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

**TOTAL**

\$9,359

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**TREASURER OF STATE, OFFICE OF**

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**State Municipal Revenue Sharing**

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All Other

\$250,000

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Provides for an appropriation of funds to offset the reductions in Part HH. These funds are to be distributed to municipalities on a monthly basis from January 1992 to June 1992 in accordance with the provisions of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, section 5681, subsection 4.

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**OFFICE OF TREASURER OF STATE**

**TOTAL**

\$250,000

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2	<b>SECTION OO-2</b>	
	<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<u>\$700,000</u>
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6	<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	
	<b>PART OO</b>	<u>\$-0-</u>

8 Further amend the bill by relettering the Parts to read  
10 consecutively.

12 **FISCAL NOTE**

14 This amendment will have no net fiscal impact on the bill.

16 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

18 This amendment deappropriates funds authorized in Part A in  
20 order to make funds available for probation and parole purposes;  
22 for Medicaid substance abuse services; to maintain the  
24 residential substance abuse program for low-income women and to  
26 offset reductions to state municipal revenue sharing.

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