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H.P. 71

House of Representatives, January 17, 1995

An Act to Increase Funds Available to the Department of Conservation and the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife by Amending the Loon Plates Law.

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative CAMERON of Rumford.
Cosponsored by Representatives: CAMPBELL of Holden, DiPIETRO of South Portland,
FISHER of Brewer, FITZPATRICK of Durham, KEANE of Old Town, LEMONT of Kittery,
LIBBY of Kennebunk, VIGUE of Winslow, Senators: CIANCHETTE of Somerset,
FERGUSON of Oxford.

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

Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §455, sub-§5, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

5. Reimbursement for production and issuance costs. The Treasurer of State shall transfer annually from the Maine Environmental Trust Fund to the Secretary of State \$10 for each set of environmental registration plates issued er-renewed for the first time. This transfer is to reimburse the Secretary of State for costs associated with production and issuance of the plates. The Treasurer of State may not transfer funds from the Maine Environmental Trust Fund to the Secretary of State for the renewal of environmental registration plates.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill provides that contributions to the Maine Environmental Trust Fund received from the renewal of environmental registration plates remain in the fund for the use of the Department of Conservation and the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife and that no portion of these contributions be transferred to the Secretary of State.