

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 117th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1995

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Legislative Document

No. 599

S.P. 234

In Senate, February 22, 1995

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### **An Act to Reimburse Former Temporary Hearing Officers of the Workers' Compensation Board for Lapsed Vacation Time.**

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Submitted by the Workers' Compensation Board pursuant to Joint Rule 24.  
Reference to the Committee on Labor suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "May M. Ross".

MAY M. ROSS  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator BEGLEY of Lincoln.  
Cosponsored by Representative CHASE of China and  
Representative: AIKMAN of Poland.

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

Sec. 1. PL 1991, c. 885, Pt. A, §9, sub-§5, ¶B is amended to read:

B. Former commissioners may serve as temporary hearing officers until January 1, 1994 at the latest and are entitled to the same compensation and benefits they received while serving as commissioners. Upon termination as temporary hearing officers, the former commissioners are entitled to compensation for all vacation time accrued and earned, including vacation time accrued and earned that is in excess of the allowed maximum.

Sec. 2. **Retroactivity.** This Act applies retroactively to January 1, 1993.

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires that former workers' compensation commissioners who worked as temporary hearing officers be compensated for all vacation time accrued and earned.