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## 117th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1995

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No. 863

H.P. 640

House of Representatives, March 21, 1995

An Act to Improve the Well-being of Communities by Providing Adequate Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Incest, Rape and Child Sexual Abuse and Enhance Community Education and Prevention Programs Statewide.

Reference to the Committee on Human Resources suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative KILKELLY of Wiscasset.
Cosponsored by Senator AMERO of Cumberland and
Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, AULT of Wayne, CLARK of Millinocket,
DAVIDSON of Brunswick, ETNIER of Harpswell, FITZPATRICK of Durham, JOHNSON
of South Portland, JOSEPH of Waterville, JOY of Crystal, McALEVEY of Waterboro,
PLOWMAN of Hampden, SAXL of Bangor, TOWNSEND of Portland, TREAT of Gardiner,
WATSON of Farmingdale, WHEELER of Bridgewater, Senators: BENOIT of Franklin,
CARPENTER of York, FAIRCLOTH of Penobscot, MILLS of Somerset, PARADIS of
Aroostook, PINGREE of Knox.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows: 2 Sec. 1. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act. 4 1995-96 1996-97 6 **HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF** 8 **Purchased Social Services** 10 12 All Other \$200,000 \$300,000 14 Provides funds to increase funding to the 10 rape crisis 16 centers by \$20,000 each in fiscal years 1995-96 and 1996-97 and to provide rape 18 crisis services in Knox and 20 Waldo counties and to expand services in York County in 1996-97. 22 fiscal year 24 STATEMENT OF FACT 26 This bill provides General Fund appropriations of \$200,000 28 in fiscal year 1995-96 and \$300,000 in fiscal year 1996-97 to the Department of Human Services to increase annual funding to the 10 rape crisis centers by \$20,000 each and to provide rape crisis 30

services in Knox and Waldo counties and to expand services in

York County in fiscal year 1996-97.

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