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S.P. 329

In Senate, February 18, 1997

An Act to Flat Fund the Legislative Budget.

(EMERGENCY)

Reference to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

JOY J. O'BRIEN Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator KIEFFER of Aroostook. Cosponsored by Senator LIBBY of York, Representatives: BRUNO of Raymond, DONNELLY of Presque Isle, JOY of Crystal, TRUE of Fryeburg, WATERHOUSE of Bridgton, WHEELER of Bridgewater.

	Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not
2	become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and
4	Whereas, the 90-day period may not terminate until after the
6	beginning of the next fiscal year; and
8	Whereas, certain obligations and expenses will become due and payable on or immediately after July 1, 1997; and
10	Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
12	create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
14	Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,
16	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
18	Sec. 1. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated
20	from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.
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