

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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119th MAINE LEGISLATURE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION-2000

Legislative Document

No. 2354

S.P. 902

In Senate, January 5, 2000

An Act to Increase the Pay for Jury Duty.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator DAVIS of Piscataquis.
Cosponsored by Representative McALEVEY of Waterboro and
Senators: GOLDTHWAIT of Hancock, MURRAY of Penobscot, O'GARA of Cumberland,
Representatives: TOWNSEND of Portland, CROSS of Dover-Foxcroft, PEAVEY of
Woolwich, POVICH of Ellsworth, RICHARDSON of Greenville, TOBIN of Dexter.

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

Sec. 1. 14 MRSA §1215, as amended by PL 1991, c. 591, Pt. E, §13, is further amended to read:

§1215. Mileage and compensation of jurors

A juror is entitled to paid mileage at the rate of 15¢ per mile for travel expenses from the juror's residence to the place of holding court and return and to compensation at the rate of ~~\$10~~ **\$25** for each day of required attendance at sessions of the court.

SUMMARY

This bill increases the rate of compensation for jurors from \$10 to \$25 for each day of required attendance at court.