

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 120th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2001

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No. 370

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H.P. 292

House of Representatives, January 30, 2001

**An Act to Appropriate Funds to Improve Employment Opportunities for  
People with Mental Illness.**

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Reference to the Committee on Health and Human Services suggested and ordered printed.

*Millicent M. MacFarland*

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative CANAVAN of Waterville.  
Cosponsored by Senator GAGNON of Kennebec and  
Representatives: BUMPS of China, MADORE of Augusta, MARRACHE of Waterville,  
MATTHEWS of Winslow, MITCHELL of Vassalboro, O'BRIEN of Augusta, TESSIER of  
Fairfield, Senator: DAGGETT of Kennebec.

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

4 **Sec. 1. Appropriation.** The following funds are appropriated  
from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

6 **2001-02** **2002-03**

8 **MENTAL HEALTH, MENTAL RETARDATION**  
10 **AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES,**  
12 **DEPARTMENT OF**

12 **Bureau of Mental Health**  
14 **Region II Office**

14 All Other \$100,000 \$100,000

16 Provides funds to be  
18 distributed to the High Hopes  
20 Clubhouse to allow for the  
22 continuation of their  
24 Waterville operations and to  
expand their operations to  
Augusta.

26 **SUMMARY**

28 This bill provides funds to the Waterville High Hopes  
30 Clubhouse to allow that organization to carry out its job  
training, development and placement efforts and to expand its  
operations to the Augusta area.