

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 120th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2001

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Legislative Document

No. 1142

S.P. 335

In Senate, February 22, 2001

**An Act to Provide Annual Support to the Maine Rural Development Council and its Community Capacity Building Work in Distressed Areas of the State.**

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Joy J. O'Brien'.

JOY J. O'BRIEN  
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by President MICHAUD of Penobscot.  
Cosponsored by Representative BERRY of Livermore and  
Senators: KILKELLY of Lincoln, MARTIN of Aroostook, SHOREY of Washington,  
YOUNGBLOOD of Penobscot, Representatives: GOOLEY of Farmington, JONES of  
Greenville, TESSIER of Fairfield.

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

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

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

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**MAINE RURAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**

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**Maine Rural Development Council**

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

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Appropriates funds for the  
Maine Rural Development  
Council for the development  
of community capacity  
building projects and for  
provision of advocacy for  
social and economic needs in  
rural Maine.

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**SUMMARY**

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This bill provides funding to the Maine Rural Development Council to provide advocacy for the social and economic needs of rural Maine communities and to develop community capacity building projects.

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