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APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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**STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
120TH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION**

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20 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1425, L.D. 1866, "Resolve,
22 to Allow the Courts to Utilize the Maine Governmental Facilities
Authority to Issue a Bond of \$2,500,000 to Finish the Repairs at
the Lewiston District Court"

24 Amend the resolve by inserting after the title and before
26 section 1 the following:

28 **'Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts and resolves of the
30 Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after
adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

32 **Whereas,** additional authorization to issue securities is
34 immediately necessary to finish repairs at the Lewiston District
Court; and

36 **Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
38 create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
40 necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
safety; now, therefore, be it'

42 Further amend the resolve in section 1 in the next to the
44 last line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the
following: "July" and inserting in its place the following:
'April'

46 Further amend the resolve by inserting after section 1 the
48 following:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1425, L.D. 1866

'Sec. 2. Appropriations and Allocations. Resolved: That the following appropriations and allocations are made.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Courts - Supreme, Superior and District

New Initiative: Deappropriates funds from one-time savings.

GENERAL FUND	2001-02	2002-03
All Other	(\$256,250)	

New Initiative: Provides funds for the additional debt service costs associated with finishing the repairs of the Lewiston District Court.

GENERAL FUND	2001-02	2002-03
All Other		\$256,250

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	(\$256,250)	\$256,250
GENERAL FUND - DEPARTMENT TOTAL	(\$256,250)	\$256,250

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve takes effect when approved.'

Further amend the resolve by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

	2001-02	2002-03
APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS		
General Fund	(\$256,250)	\$256,250

This resolve includes a General Fund deappropriation of \$256,250 in fiscal year 2001-02 from one-time debt service savings within the Judicial Department and a General Fund appropriation of \$256,250 in fiscal year 2002-03 to support the principal and interest costs associated with the issuance of additional bonds to finish the repairs at the Lewiston District Court. The future costs are estimated to be \$249,688 in fiscal year 2003-04 and \$243,125 in fiscal year 2004-05.'

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1425, L.D. 1866

SUMMARY

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This amendment adds an emergency preamble and emergency clause in order for the resolve to take effect when approved. This amendment allows the Maine Governmental Facilities Authority to issue additional securities as early as April 1, 2002, to complete the repairs of the Lewiston District Court. It also adds an appropriation section and a fiscal note to the bill.