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House of Representatives, March 25, 2003

An Act To Establish Municipal Cost Components for Unorganized Territory Services To Be Rendered in Fiscal Year 2003-04

(EMERGENCY)

Reported by Representative LEMOINE of Old Orchard Beach for the Department of Audit pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, section 1604.

Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed under Joint Rule 218.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND
Clerk

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

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6 **Whereas,** prompt determination and certification of the
municipal cost components in the Unorganized Territory Tax
District are necessary to the establishment of a mill rate and
8 the levy of the Unorganized Territory Educational and Services
Tax; and

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12 **Whereas,** in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
14 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. Municipal cost components for services rendered.** In
20 accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, chapter
115, the Legislature determines that the net municipal cost
22 component for services and reimbursements to be rendered in
fiscal year 2003-04 is as follows:

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Audit - Fiscal Administration	\$108,207
26 Education	10,902,895
28 Forest Fire Protection	150,000
30 Human Services - General Assistance	77,610
32 Property Tax Assessment - Operations	647,399
34 Maine Land Use Regulation Commission - 36 Operations	185,735
38 TOTAL STATE AGENCIES	<u>\$12,071,846</u>

40 County Reimbursements for Services:

42 Aroostook	\$643,089
Franklin	573,099
44 Hancock	76,808
Kennebec	6,393
46 Oxford	362,248
Penobscot	676,840
48 Piscataquis	522,569
Somerset	773,469
50 Washington	429,889

