

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 1272

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APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
122ND LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 869, L.D. 1272, Bill, "An Act To Ensure Compliance with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act for Court Facilities"

Amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all of the amending clause (page 1, line 3 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 1. 4 MRSA §1610-E is enacted to read:'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§1610-D." in the first line (page 1, line 5 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "§1610-D." and inserting in its place the following: '§1610-E.'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "§1610-D." in the 3rd line from the end (page 1, line 10 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$3,000,000" and inserting in its place the following: '\$1,000,000'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in the first line (page 1, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "Government" and inserting in its place the following: 'Governmental'

Further amend the bill in section 2 in the 3rd line (page 1, line 16 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "1610-D" and inserting in its place the following: '1610-E'

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

2 Further amend the bill in section 2 in the 3rd line from the  
end (page 1, line 20 in L.D.) by striking out the following:  
4 "\$3,000,000" and inserting in its place the following:  
'\$1,000,000'

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8 Further amend the bill in section 3 in the 2nd line (page 1,  
line 25 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "Government" and  
inserting in its place the following: 'Governmental'

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12 Further amend the bill in section 3 by striking out all of  
the 4th line (page 1, line 28 in L.D.) and inserting in its place  
the following:

14 'Judicial Department \$1,000,000'

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18 Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the  
summary the following:

20 'Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations. The following  
appropriations and allocations are made.

22 **JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT**

24 **Courts - Supreme, Superior, District  
and Administrative**

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28 Initiative: Appropriates funds for debt service associated with  
the borrowing of \$1,000,000 to retrofit court facilities.

30	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2006-07</b>
32	All Other	\$27,500	\$103,625
34	<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$27,500</u>	<u>\$103,625'</u>

36 **SUMMARY**

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40 This amendment changes the amount of the securities the  
Maine Governmental Facilities Authority is authorized to issue  
42 from \$3,000,000 to \$1,000,000 to renovate or retrofit court  
facilities to comply with the federal Americans with Disabilities  
44 Act.

46 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**  
(See attached)



# 122nd MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 1272

LR 1389(02)

An Act To Ensure Compliance with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act for Court Facilities

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"  
Committee: Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

## Fiscal Note

	2005-06	2006-07	Projections 2007-08	Projections 2008-09	
<b>Net Cost (Savings)</b>					
General Fund	\$27,500	\$103,625	\$100,875	\$98,125	
<b>Appropriations/Allocations</b>					
General Fund	\$27,500	\$103,625	\$100,875	\$98,125	
<b>Bond Issues</b>	<b>Term(years)</b>	<b>Principal</b>	<b>Rate (%)</b>	<b>Interest</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
Me Gov Fac Auth (MGFA)	20	\$1,000,000	5.5%	\$577,500	\$1,577,500

### Fiscal Detail and Notes

Authorizing the Maine Government Facilities Authority to issue securities in the amount of \$1,000,000 to retrofit court facilities will require General Fund appropriations to the Judicial Department in the amount of \$27,500 in fiscal year 2005-06 and \$103,625 in fiscal year 2006-07. This appropriation will provide funds for the debt service associated with this proposed borrowing.