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House of Representatives, February 8, 2007

An Act To Encourage Economic Development

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

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Clerk

Presented by Representative MILLS of Farmington.
Cosponsored by Senator GOOLEY of Franklin and
Representatives: FINLEY of Skowhegan, PATRICK of Rumford, PINKHAM of Lexington
Township, SAVIELLO of Wilton.

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

2 **Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and
3 allocations are made.

4 **ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, DEPARTMENT OF**

5 **Administration - Economic and Community Development 0069**

6 Initiative: Provides ongoing funds for local economic development efforts in rural
7 counties to be distributed based on objective criteria.

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9 GENERAL FUND	2007-08	2008-09
10 All Other	\$750,000	\$750,000
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12 GENERAL FUND TOTAL	<u>\$750,000</u>	<u>\$750,000</u>

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill makes ongoing General Fund appropriations of \$750,000 per year beginning
15 in fiscal year 2007-08 for local economic development efforts in rural counties to be
16 distributed based on objective criteria.