

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 156

House of Representatives, Feb. 10, 1911.

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and Financial Affairs and ordered printed under joint rules.*

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND ELEVEN.

AN ACT to amend Section twelve of Chapter one hundred
and twelve of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and seven
as amended by Chapter sixty-nine of the Public Laws of
nineteen hundred and nine relating to the appropriation for
State Highways.

WHEREAS, the appropriation for the permanent im-
2 provement of main highways or state roads should be
3 available at an early date, and the statute providing for
4 the raising of funds for this purpose should be amended;
5 therefore, in the judgment of the Legislature, the measure
6 hercin proposed is immediately necessary for the preserva-
7 tion of the public peace, health or safety.

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

Section 1. Section twelve (12) of Chapter one hundred
2 and twelve (112) of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred
3 and seven as amended by Chapter sixty-nine of the Public
4 Laws of nineteen hundred and nine is hereby amended by
5 striking out the words "there shall be assessed annually
6 on all property in this state a tax of three-fourths of one
7 mill on each dollar of valuation" and inserting in place
8 thereof the following: 'there shall be appropriated out of
9 any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated,
10 the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dol-
11 lars annually' so that said section as amended shall read as
12 follows:

'Section 12. To provide funds for the purposes of this
14 act there shall be appropriated out of any funds in the
15 state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of two
16 hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) dollars annually for
17 the exclusive use and purposes set forth in this act. Any
18 unexpended balance at the end of any year shall be added
19 to the fund for the next year. From this fund shall be paid
20 all state aid for road improvement as provided for under
21 this act.'

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.