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House of Representatives, March 16, 1939.

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

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## S T A T E   O F   M A I N E

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-NINE

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### **AN ACT Amending an Act Relating to Compensation of County Attorneys.**

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**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the several counties have certain expenses and liabilities which must be met as they become due, and

Whereas, any changes in the responsibility of the several counties affect the laying of the county tax, and

Whereas, the appropriations of the counties are immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, and in the judgment of this legislature these facts constitute an emergency as contemplated by the constitution; now, therefore,

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

Amend paragraph 1 of section 38 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes of 1930 by striking out in the second line thereof the words "state treasury" and inserting in place thereof the words 'treasuries of the counties' so that said paragraph shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 38. Compensation of county attorneys.** County attorneys of the

several counties shall receive annual salaries from the ~~state treasury~~ treasuries of the counties in monthly payments on the last day of each month, as follows.'

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.