

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 526

In Senate, September, 19, 1944.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and sent down for concurrence. 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Good of Aroostook.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-FOUR

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**AN ACT Appropriating Moneys to Provide for Carrying on the Activity of Aid to Dependent Children for the Remaining Months of the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1945.**

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**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the funds appropriated by the 91st legislature for aid to dependent children are insufficient in amount to continue such activity at a minimum standard of decency and health for the remaining months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and

Whereas, it is impossible for some of our citizens to maintain themselves, and

Whereas, the laws provide that the support and treatment of these persons is a direct obligation of the state, and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine, and requires the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

**Emergency appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated the sum of \$60,000 from any funds in the treasury, to provide for carrying on the

activity of aid to dependent children for the remaining months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945.

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