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House of Representatives, March 21, 1945.

Reported by Mr. Bowker from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

HARVEY R. PEASE, CLERK.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to the Maine Development Commission.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 35, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 35 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Maine development commission; how constituted. The Maine development commission, as heretofore established, shall consist of ~~10~~ 11 members. Said commission shall be constituted as follows: **the governor**, the commissioner of agriculture, the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries, and 7 other citizens of the state to be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the council. Said official members shall hold office during their respective terms. The other appointments shall be for a term of 3 years.

The commission shall choose one of its members to act as chairman.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 35, § 2, amended. The 1st sentence of section 2 of chapter 35 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows: **'The sum of \$161,000 is annually appropriated for the purpose of The purpose of the appropriation is for the advertising and publicly setting forth and displaying agricultural, industrial, and recreational resources, activities, and attractions of the state.'**

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 35, § 3, repealed and replaced. Section 3 of chapter 35 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 3. Unencumbered balances. At the end of any fiscal year the commission may, with the approval of the governor and council, carry forward as a reserve unencumbered appropriation balances not to exceed \$50,000. Any excess unencumbered balance over this amount shall lapse.'