

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NINETY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 460

In Senate, July 9, 1946

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and Welfare jointly. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Owen of Kennebec.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SIX

AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for Anticipated Overdrafts in the Department of Health and Welfare Due to Insufficient Appropriations.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the funds appropriated for the present functions of the department of health and welfare for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947 are insufficient; and

Whereas, existing statutes provide for these functions as 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, part third, article IV of the constitution of Maine as enacted by article XXXI, and require 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. In order to provide for the necessary expenditures of government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, the following sum or as much thereof as shall be found necessary, as designated in the following tabulation, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated.

Department of
Health and Welfare

1946-1947
\$500,000

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