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NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 218 House of Representatives, March 7, 1947.
Reported by Mr. Boulier from Committee on Ways and Bridges and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Thomas of Hampden.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, to Provide for Reimbursing the Town of Hermon for Emergency Road Work.

Town of Hermon; reimbursed. Resolved: That the state highway commission is hereby authorized to reimburse the town of Hermon from future state aid joint funds when and as such become available, for emergency work done in the year 1946 on the Annis road (state aid highway No. 6) in permanently filling a bog.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

A bog on the Annis road settled until the roadway was completely under water, rendering it impassable. The voters of Hermon, in special town meeting, authorized hiring money to permanently construct this section to avoid continuous expensive repairs, with the understanding that such borrowing would be in anticipation of future state aid funds.

Hermon's state aid joint fund for 1946-47 had already been spent for bridge construction under the Bridge Act, as authorized by law. It thus became necessary to draw on possible future funds, which is not permitted under existing laws.