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Legislative Document

No. 117

S. P. 70

In Senate, January 22, 1957.

Referred to the Committee on Welfare. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Ferguson of Oxford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Reimburse Certain Municipalities for General Pauper Relief.

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

R. S., c. 94, § 11-A, additional. Chapter 94 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 11-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 11-A. Reimbursement by State. Any municipality, expending more than 5% of the total local tax levy on general pauper relief under the provisions of this chapter, shall have a valid claim against the State to recover 80% of the sums paid out by reason of such general pauper relief as exceeds 5% of the total tax levy, upon proof of the facts in form satisfactory to the Commissioner of Health and Welfare; and such claims shall be presented to the Legislature next convening.'