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## NINETY - EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

**Legislative Document**

**No. 873**

H. P. 563

House of Representatives, February 19, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Heald of Union by request.

### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

#### **AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for Anticipated Overdraft in Harness Racing Commission Due to Insufficient Appropriations.**

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the funds appropriated for the present function of the Harness Racing Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1957 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 the Constitution of Maine 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, 1957, 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:

	1956-57
Harness Racing Commission	\$2,500

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