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NINETY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1646

H. P. 1132 House of Representatives, January 13, 1958 Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested. HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Ross of Bath

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT

AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for Office of Director of Legislative Research.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the funds appropriated for the present functions of the office of Director of Legislative Research for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 are insufficient because of 2 special legislative sessions and increased work load of the Legislative Research Committee; and

Whereas, the functions of the office, including the publication of the laws enacted by the Legislature, is 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, 1958, the following sum or as much thereof as shall be found necessary, as designated in the following tabulation, is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund:

Department	1957-50
Legislative	
Legislative Research Committee	
Personal Services	\$1,560
All Other	3,500
Total	

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

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Personal services. Due to additional expense incurred for clerical assistance because of the 2 special sessions of the 98th Legislature, request is made for funds for this additional expense.

All Other. It is suggested that the laws enacted at this special session and the previous special session be published in pamphlet form for distribution to the various branches of state, county and municipal governments and to the public.

Due to the fact that the Committee's report on the Interstate Highway System had to be made to the special session, additional printing was necessary and moneys for this purpose is requested.

For printing special sessions laws	\$3,100
For Research Committee report	400
For clerical assistance	1,560
Total	\$5,060