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NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 100 In House of Representatives, January 22, 1959 Referred to Committee on State Government. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Stanley of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE

AN ACT Repealing the Advisory Committee on Budget.

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

R. S., c. 15-A, § 10, repealed. Section 10 of chapter 15-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 340 of the public laws of 1957, is repealed, as follows:

'See. 10. Advisory Committee on Budget. There shall be an Advisory Committee on Budget consisting of 3 members, one Senator selected by the presiding officer of the Senate and 2 Representatives selected by the presiding officer of the House of Representatives prior to October 1st of the ever numbered years.

The Senator so selected shall be, if practicable, the senior ranking member of the Senate of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs who is to serve as a member of the Senate of the next succeeding Legislature.

The 2 Representatives so selected shall be, if practicable, the senior ranking members of the House of Representatives of the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs who are to serve as members of the House of Representatives of the next succeeding Legislature, and shall be of different political parties.

The members of the Committee shall be paid the necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, and in addition thereto, they shall each receive \$15 per day for the time actually spent while the Legislature is not in session. This Committee shall meet with the Covernor elect, when so

requested by him, during the preparation of the budget, and shall advise with the Governor elect on any and all matters pertaining to the financial policy of the State Government. The Governor elect, however, shall be fully responsible for all budgetary recommendations made to the Legislature.'