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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

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## Chapter 50

### AN ACT Relating to Approval of Expenses of Judicial Council.

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

R. S., c. 113, § 197, amended. Section 197 of chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 197. **Expenses.** No member of said Council shall receive any compensation for his services; but said Council and the several members thereof shall be allowed, out of any appropriation made for the purpose, such expenses for clerical and other services, travel and incidentals as the ~~governor and council~~ Chief Justice shall approve. The Chief Justice shall be ex officio chairman of said Council, and said Council may appoint one of its members or some other suitable person to act as secretary for said Council.'

Effective August 28, 1957

## Chapter 51

### AN ACT Providing Funds for the Promotion of Maine.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the lack of sufficient local funds, and the lack of a specific appropriation at the state level of government, has resulted in the State of Maine not being represented at many of the outstanding events occurring throughout the country; and

Whereas, neither local or state funds are available for the purpose of defraying necessary expenses of visiting dignitaries or groups of dignitaries; and

Whereas, other states are represented at outside events, by bands, floats, etc. which display the talents and producing abilities of its people, and that many states do provide funds to defray necessary expenses of visiting dignitaries; and

Whereas, the State of Maine is competing directly with other states in the promotional area for new industries and for tourist trade and to maintain prestige out of 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:*

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 11, § 12-A, additional. Chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 12-A, to read as follows:

#### 'Promotion of Maine.

Sec. 12-A. **Promotion of Maine.** There is hereby established a special account, to be set up by the State Controller, to be designated "Promotion of Maine