

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-ninth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Sec. 2. Duties of the committee. The Maine Committee on Aging shall base its activities and fields of interest on the findings of the White House Conference.

The committee may appoint sub-committees.

It shall continue the study of the problem of Maine's aging population and shall assist in organizing local committees on aging. It shall provide leadership and stimulation at the state level, in developing solutions for these problems.

The committee is authorized to employ, under the Personnel Law, such staff as may be necessary to carry out its objectives.

The various state departments shall assist the committee in the furtherance of its duties.

Sec. 3. Meetings; expenses. Said committee shall meet at the call of the chairman, and not less than 6 times during the biennium. The members shall be paid necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

Sec. 4. Federal grants. The Treasurer of State shall be the appropriate fiscal officer of the State to receive federal grants on account of administration of said committee, and the State Controller shall authorize expenditures therefrom, as approved by the committee.

Sec. 5. Activities. During the biennium the committee shall direct itself toward the holding of a state conference for the purpose of developing facts and recommendations and preparing a report of the findings for presentation to the 1961 White House Conference on Aging.

Sec. 6. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the State the sum of \$12,500 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 to be expended in the furtherance of the objectives of this act. Any balances at June 30, 1960 shall not lapse but shall carry forward until June 30, 1961. The breakdown of the above appropriation shall be as follows:

	1959-60
Personal Services	\$ 8,978
All Other	3,335
Capital Expenditures	<u>187</u>
	<u>\$12,500</u>

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

Effective June 13, 1959

Chapter 183

AN ACT to Allocate Moneys for the Administrative Expenses of the State
Liquor Commission for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1960 and June 30,
1961.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves passed by the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the said 90-day period will not terminate until after the beginning of the next fiscal year; and

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the operation of the State Liquor Commission will become due and payable on or immediately after July 1, 1959; 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. Allocation of Liquor Commission Fund. In order to provide for the necessary expenses for operation and administration of the Maine State Liquor Commission, the following amounts, or as much as may be necessary, are allocated from the revenues derived from the operations of the Commission:

	1959-60	1960-61
Personal Services	\$1,295,704	\$1,385,754
All Other	629,218	656,394
	<u>\$1,924,922</u>	<u>\$2,042,148</u>

Amounting to \$1,924,922 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and \$2,042,148 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961.

Upon receipt of allotments duly approved by the Governor and Council based upon work programs submitted to the Commissioner of Finance and Administration, the State Controller shall authorize expenditures from these allocations on the basis of such allotments and not otherwise.

Sec. 2. Legislative intent. It is the intent of the Legislature that the allocation of funds by the Legislature, as provided by this act, shall apply to the administrative expenses only of the Liquor Commission and that such allocations shall be allotted and approved under provisions of the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 15-A, as amended. It is not intended to affect the use of the Working Capital, provided for by the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 61, section 13, or other activities required of the State Liquor Commission by the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 61, as amended.

Sec. 3. Exclusion. Exclusive of the provisions of Sections 1 and 2 above, the Commission may expend up to \$50,000 for Capital Expenditures in each year of the 1959-60 and 1960-61 biennium.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect July 1, 1959.