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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

AT THE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

January 2, 1980 to April 3, 1980

AND AT THE

THIRD SPECIAL SESSION

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B. The cost of services the state funds in the unorganized territory that are funded locally by a municipality; the cost of forest fire protection to be included in the cost component shall be determined in accordance with Title 12, section 1601; and

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

Effective March 24, 1980

CHAPTER 647

H. P. 1946 — L. D. 1994

AN ACT to Revise the Salaries of Certain County Officers.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the fiscal year for which these salaries apply began on January 1, 1980; 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. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ B, as amended by PL 1977, c. 657, § 3, is further amended to read:

B. Aroostook County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	\$ 7,778	\$ 8,556
(b) Members	4,000	4,400
(2) Treasurer	6,000	6,600
(3) Sheriff	13,500	14,850
(4) Judge of probate	8,500	9,350

(5) Register of probate	7,000	7,700
(6) Register of deeds		
(a) Northern District	9,500	10,450
(b) Southern District	9,500	10,450

Sec. 2. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ C, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 1-A, is further amended to read:

C. Cumberland County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	\$ 6,192	
(b) Members	6,192	
(2) Treasurer	10,666	11,316
(3) Sheriff	15,600	16,250
(4) Judge of probate	12,861	13,511
(5) Register of probate	10,505	11,155
(6) Register of deeds	10,666	11,316

Sec. 3. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ D, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 2, is further amended to read:

D. Franklin County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	\$ 3,100	\$ 3,348
(b) Members	2,750	2,970
(2) Treasurer	3,149	3,401
(3) Sheriff	14,500	15,660
(4) Judge of probate	8,500	
(5) Register of probate	9,156	9,888
(6) Register of deeds	9,500	10,260

Sec. 4. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ E, sub-¶ (2), relating to Hancock County, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 3, is further amended to read:

(2) Treasurer	7,600	8,100
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Sec. 5. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ E, sub-¶ (3), relating to Hancock County, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 3, and PL 1979, c. 173, § 1, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

(3) Sheriff	13,300
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Sec. 6. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ F, sub-¶¶ (3), (5) and (6), relating to Kennebec County, as amended by PL 1977, c. 657, § 6-A, are further amended to read:

(3) Sheriff	12,500	15,000
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(5) Register of probate	9,700	10,670
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(6) Register of deeds	9,700	10,670
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Sec. 7. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ G, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 4, is further amended to read:

G. Knox County:

(1) Commissioners

(a) Chairman	\$ 2,550	\$ 2,741
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(b) Members	2,350	2,526
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(2) Treasurer	3,210	3,520
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(3) Sheriff	13,375	14,378
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(4) Judge of probate	8,025	8,627
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(5) Register of probate	8,560	9,202
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(6) Register of deeds	8,560	9,202
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Sec. 8. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ K, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 6-A, is further amended to read:

K. Piscataquis County:

(1) Commissioners

(a) Chairman	\$ 3,300
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(i) Until December 31, 1978	\$2,368	
(ii) On and after January 1, 1979	3,100	
(b) Members		2,700
(i) Until December 31, 1978	1,965	
(ii) On and after January 1, 1979	2,500	
(2) Treasurer		3,200
(a) Until December 31, 1978	2,745	
(b) On and after January 1, 1979	3,000	
(3) Sheriff		13,450
(a) Until December 31, 1978	11,350	
(b) On and after January 1, 1979	13,000	
(4) Judge of probate	7,545	7,745
(5) Register of probate		8,650
(a) Until December 31, 1978	7,600	
(b) On and after January 1, 1979	8,200	
(6) Register of deeds		9,058
(a) Until December 31, 1978	7,897	
(b) On and after January 1, 1979	8,608	

Sec. 9. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ L, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 7, is further amended to read:

L. Sagadahoc County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	2,372	2,609
(b) Members	2,152	2,367

(2) Treasurer	4,537	4,991
(3) Sheriff	11,094	12,203
(4) Judge of probate	8,358	9,194
(5) Register of probate	8,632	10,045
(6) Register of deeds	9,500	10,450

Sec. 10. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶M, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 8, is further amended to read:

M. Somerset County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,210
(b) Members	2,500	2,675
(2) Treasurer	5,775	6,000
(3) Sheriff	13,750	15,000
(4) Judge of probate	9,338	10,200
(5) Register of probate	8,819	9,690
(6) Register of deeds	9,240	9,887

Sec. 11. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶N, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 9, is further amended to read:

N. Waldo County:

(1) Commissioners		
(a) Chairman	\$1,990	\$ 2,149
(b) Members	1,990	2,149
(2) Treasurer	3,000	3,240
(3) Sheriff	13,375	14,445
(4) Judge of probate	7,746	8,366
(5) Register of probate	8,560	9,245

(6) Register of deeds 8,560 9,245

Sec. 12. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶O, as amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 10, is further amended to read:

O. Washington County:

(1) Commissioners

(a) Chairman \$ 3,330 \$ 3,795

(b) Members 2,750 3,163

(2) Treasurer 7,574 8,710

(3) Sheriff 13,750 15,813

(4) Judge of probate 8,580 9,867

(5) Register of probate 8,493 9,768

(6) Register of deeds 8,493 9,768

Emergency clause; retroactivity. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act, except for section 1, shall take effect when approved and shall be retroactive to January 1, 1980. Section 1 shall take effect January 1, 1981.

Effective March 25, 1980, Unless otherwise indicated.

CHAPTER 648

H. P. 2002 — L. D. 2023

AN ACT to Make Additional Revisions to Salaries of Certain County Officers.

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

Sec. 1. 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶H, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 82, § 5, is further amended to read:

H. Lincoln County:

(1) Commissioners

(a) Chairman \$ 3,200 \$ 3,550