

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE
ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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AND AT THE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

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6. Penalty. A minimum fine of \$100 and not more than \$1,000 shall be imposed for conviction of violation of this Article.

7. Sunset. This section shall be reviewed by the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over marine resources in the Second Regular Session of the 113th Legislature. That committee shall report its findings no later than March 1, 1988.

Sec. 7. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from the Shellfish Fund to carry out the purposes of the Revised Statutes, Title 12, section 6671, subsection 8, paragraph B.

1984-85

MARINE RESOURCES,
DEPARTMENT OF

Positions	(1)
Personal Services	\$26,077
All Other	<u>3,923</u>
Total	\$30,000

Provides funding for one marine patrol sergeant.

Effective July 25, 1984.

CHAPTER 839

H.P. 1743 - L.D. 2297

AN ACT Making Appropriations from the General Fund to Implement Certain Recommendations of the Governor's Commission on the Status of Education in Maine for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1984, and June 30, 1985.

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

Whereas, the 9-day period may not terminate until after the beginning of the next fiscal year; and

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the implementation of certain recommendations

in the preliminary report of the Governor's Commission on the Status of Education in Maine will become due and payable immediately; 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. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	<u>1983-84</u>	<u>1984-85</u>
<u>EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF</u>		

Commission on the University of Maine

All Other	<u>5,000</u>	<u>70,000</u>
Provides funds to establish an 11-member commission appointed by the Governor to study the University of Maine. Five members shall be disinterested Maine residents unaffiliated with the University and 6 shall be from among national educators and business executives.		

The commission shall follow the guidelines contained in the preliminary report issued in January 1984, by the Governor's Commission on the Status of Education in Maine.

The commission shall report its recommendations and findings

	1983-84	1984-85
and any necessary implementing legislation on or before January 1986 to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over educational and cultural services.		

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL SERVICES
TOTAL

\$5,000	\$70,000
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Sec. 2. PL 1983, c. 477, Pt. B, under the caption "UNIVERSITY OF MAINE, BOARD OF TRUSTEES," is amended to read:

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE,
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Educational and General Activities - University of Maine

All Other

\$2,000,000

Provides funds for establishment/operation of an additional campus facility in the Lewiston Area.

No expenditure shall be made from this appropriation unless the following conditions are met:

1. The project must receive approval of the Board of Trustees of the University of Maine.

2. The bonds to be issued by the City of Lewiston must be approved by the voters.

3. The building must be publicly owned and the city shall lease such building to the university for \$1 a year.

4. Ownership of the building shall be transferred to the university after all bond payments have been made.

Educational and General Activities - University of Maine
All Other

\$2,000,000

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE,
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
TOTAL

\$4,000,000

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

Effective April 30, 1984.

CHAPTER 840

H.P. 1831 - L.D. 2432

AN ACT to Amend the State Income Tax Credit for the Installation of Renewable Energy Systems.

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §5127, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1983, c. 571, §23, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

3. Income tax credit for installation of renewable energy systems. A taxpayer who purchases and installs an active solar system, a passive solar sys-