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**PRIVATE AND
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1985

CHAPTER 112

H.P. 1652 - L.D. 2330

**AN ACT to Extend the Commission to Examine
the Availability, Quality and Delivery
of Services Provided to Children with
Special Needs.**

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

Whereas, pursuant to Resolve, 1983, chapter 47, a Commission on the Availability, Quality and Delivery of Services Provided to Children with Special Needs was established; and

Whereas, that resolve required that the commission submit a report, together with any legislation, to the Second Regular Session of the 111th Legislature; and

Whereas, pursuant to Resolve 1983, chapter 86, the commission was extended an additional year; and

Whereas, further extension of the commission into the First Regular Session of the 113th Legislature would allow the commission to complete its report and prepare more comprehensive recommendations; and

Whereas, unless this legislation is enacted as emergency legislation, the commission will expire without having fully completed its very important task; 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. Resolve 1983, c. 47, 3rd ¶, as amended by Resolve 1983, c. 86, is further amended to read:

Resolved: That the commission meet at least 3 times as a committee of the whole, and at such other times in subcommittees, as necessary, to study the problem through examination of data from Maine and other states, to consult with recognized experts in

these areas, to conduct public hearings throughout the State and to prepare an interim report which shall be distributed throughout the State and submit to the Second Regular Session of the 111th Legislature and a final report which shall be distributed throughout the State and submitted, together with any accompanying legislation, to the First Regular Session of the ~~112th~~ 113th Legislature; and be it further

Sec. 2. Appropriation. The sum of \$3,200 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Legislative Account to carry out the purposes of this Act. Any unexpended funds shall remain in the Legislative Account. These funds are to be used to hold 3 meetings in fiscal year 1986-87.

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

Effective April 16, 1986.

CHAPTER 113

S.P. 663 - L.D. 1700

AN ACT to Continue Protection and Advocacy Services at the Current Level.

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

Whereas, the current fiscal year may end before the 90-day period; and

Whereas, certain expenditures will be due and payable during the current fiscal year in order to maintain current protection and advocacy services; 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: