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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

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tion systems are computerized, the cost to computerize these systems as completely as possible, the savings to be realized from computerization of these systems and the amount of time to complete the computerization of these systems; and

4. Separate application forms. The reasons why individual applicants are required by the department to complete separate application forms for several positions, the means by which one individual application form could be used to apply for several positions and the savings that could be realized by the system; and be it further

Report to legislative committee. Resolved: That the Commissioner of Personnel report his findings, including statistical evidence over a 2-3 year period and any other evidence deemed significant and his recommendations for improving the record-keeping, position inventory and application systems, to the Joint Standing Committee on State Government no later than October 1, 1985; and be it further

Report to Legislature. Resolved: That the Joint Standing Committee on State Government study the report of the Commissioner of Personnel and report any necessary implementing legislation that the committee deems necessary to the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature. The proposed legislation shall be submitted to the Office of Legislative Research no later than February 1, 1986.

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

Effective April 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 18

S.P. 476 - L.D. 1278

Resolve, Reimbursing Certain Municipalities on Account of Taxes Lost Due to Lands being Classified under the Tree Growth Tax Law.

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

Whereas, certain municipalities have been reimbursed 75% of the tax loss pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, section 578, and there remains money due these municipalities; and

Whereas, certain municipalities currently need

the remaining reimbursement funds due to the taxes lost; 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

Reimbursements to be paid to certain municipalities. Resolved: That the following designated municipalities be reimbursed for the sums indicated totaling \$218,223.35 under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 36, section 578, subsection 1:

Androscoggin County	1984
Auburn	\$ 7.57
Durham	468.24
Leeds	23.06
Lewiston	9.56
Lisbon	541.65
Livermore	467.40
Livermore Falls	112.42
Mechanic Falls	64.69
Minot	420.04
Poland	126.79
Sabattus	75.72
Turner	142.99
Wales	9.19
 Aroostook County	
Allagash	737.63
Amity	91.57
Ashland	851.44
Bancroft	748.87
Benedicta	224.24
Bridgewater	141.26
Caribou	7.99
Cary Plantation	52.57
Castle Hill	50.79
Caswell Plantation	152.78
Chapman	153.24
Crystal	75.41
Cyr Plantation	313.39
E Plantation	395.25
Eagle Lake	354.71
Easton	102.34
Fort Fairfield	108.30
Fort Kent	21.41
Glenwood Plantation	771.89
Grand Isle	306.97

	1984
Hamlin	15.33
Hammond	196.31
Haynesville	362.47
Hersey	260.92
Hodgdon	138.00
Island Falls	74.98
Limestone	21.30
Linneus	298.39
Littleton	163.80
Ludlow	115.24
Macwahoc Plantation	130.31
Madawaska	405.60
Mapleton	25.91
Masardis	405.41
Merrill	2,326.65
Monticello	68.81
Moro Plantation	2,190.60
Nashville Plantation	200.33
New Canada	290.40
New Limerick	10.60
New Sweden	78.52
Oakfield	307.99
Orient	183.98
Oxbow Plantation	257.92
Perham	225.57
Portage Lake	362.56
Presque Isle	9.15
Reed Plantation	503.14
St. Francis	372.67
St. John Plantation	438.40
Sherman	192.33
Smyrna	288.76
Stockholm	294.22
Van Buren	91.61
Wade	502.72
Wallagrass Plantation	385.46
Washburn	89.25
Westfield	907.60
Westmanland	238.63
Weston	345.82
Winterville Plantation	208.42
Cumberland County	
Baldwin	439.05
Bridgton	350.51
Brunswick	722.58
Cape Elizabeth	53.10
Casco	407.55
Cumberland	75.00
Falmouth	66.26
Freeport	964.29
Gorham	143.17

1984

Gray	148.99
Harpswell	367.34
Harrison	1,305.51
Naples	237.94
New Gloucester	366.07
Portland	17.96
Raymond	194.14
Scarborough	803.46
Sebago	320.02
South Portland	5.25
Standish	430.74
Westbrook	278.12
Windham	174.90
Yarmouth	35.98

Franklin County

Avon	426.91
Carrabassett Valley	1,317.86
Carthage	630.52
Chesterville	1,005.00
Coplin Plantation	625.69
Dallas Plantation	743.32
Eustis	575.44
Farmington	129.07
Industry	237.22
Jay	419.85
Kingfield	576.19
Madrid	697.46
New Sharon	651.87
New Vineyard	279.07
Phillips	571.80
Rangeley	493.80
Rangeley Plantation	771.94
Sandy River Plantation	590.74
Strong	267.15
Temple	2,839.95
Weld	978.79
Wilton	162.41

Hancock County

Amherst	2,844.45
Aurora	2,452.50
Bar Harbor	121.19
Blue Hill	253.76
Brooklin	28.54
Brooksville	14.70
Bucksport	260.25
Castine	302.11
Dedham	412.84
Deer Isle	183.28
Eastbrook	1,920.75

	1984
Ellsworth	780.45
Franklin	1,082.10
Frenchboro	28.20
Gouldsboro	73.20
Great Pond	2,975.55
Hancock	1,138.34
Lamoine	9.45
Mariaville	549.04
Mount Desert	99.90
Orland	281.70
Osborn	704.72
Otis	404.06
Penobscot	421.20
Sedgwick	121.20
Sorrento	73.78
Southwest Harbor	14.02
Stonington	12.97
Sullivan	230.10
Surry	322.42
Swan's Island	345.60
Tremont	25.54
Trenton	76.69
Verona	4.83
Waltham	507.82
Winter Harbor	110.62

Kennebec County

Albion	16.76
Augusta	86.74
Belgrade	181.12
Benton	133.42
China	46.05
Clinton	170.47
Farmingdale	1.54
Fayette	191.10
Gardiner	520.97
Hallowell	27.19
Litchfield	855.00
Manchester	41.06
Monmouth	5.40
Mount Vernon	88.09
Oakland	120.26
Pittston	68.70
Readfield	413.10
Rome	163.01
Sidney	4.13
Vassalboro	200.59
Vienna	120.07
Wayne	31.01
Windsor	195.04
Winslow	1,060.80
Winthrop	96.21

1984

Knox County

Appleton	99.30
Camden	920.32
Cushing	261.69
Friendship	133.61
Hope	152.95
Isle au Haut	47.17
North Haven	129.31
Owls Head	3.01
Rockland	24.37
Rockport	191.43
St. George	1.69
South Thomaston	142.73
Thomaston	26.44
Union	73.26
Vinalhaven	492.59
Warren	442.76
Washington	117.60

Lincoln County

Alna	747.30
Boothbay	39.49
Boothbay Harbor	97.20
Bremen	130.72
Bristol	57.15
Damariscotta	230.70
Dresden	125.40
Edgecomb	189.76
Jefferson	248.29
Newcastle	857.40
Nobleboro	35.52
Somerville	89.40
South Bristol	143.40
Waldoboro	109.24
Westport	102.33
Whitefield	55.95

Oxford County

Andover	93.35
Bethel	2,486.85
Brownfield	1,058.25
Buckfield	210.11
Byron	1,070.47
Canton	232.80
Denmark	1,258.72
Dixfield	634.95
Fryeburg	511.31
Gilead	212.70
Greenwood	2,933.10
Hanover	35.74

	1984
Hartford	364.20
Hebron	119.25
Hiram	182.92
Lincoln Plantation	594.04
Lovell	231.34
Magalloway Plantation	960.26
Mexico	1,208.25
Newry	2,011.43
Norway	286.50
Otisfield	221.96
Oxford	187.01
Paris	338.29
Peru	1,939.20
Porter	299.32
Roxbury	3,395.70
Rumford	4,243.80
Stoneham	4.51
Stow	137.14
Sumner	433.80
Sweden	378.30
Upton	772.31
Waterford	321.11
West Paris	112.24
Woodstock	1,943.10

Penobscot County

Alton	524.44
Bangor	39.86
Bradford	298.65
Bradley	812.17
Brewer	24.03
Burlington	1,134.00
Carmel	95.77
Carroll Plantation	3,971.91
Charleston	235.39
Chester	476.77
Clifton	380.81
Corinna	28.72
Corinth	669.30
Dexter	195.67
Dixmont	35.21
Drew Plantation	695.51
East Millinocket	163.20
Eddington	129.11
Edinburg	1,588.51
Enfield	299.51
Etna	73.72
Exeter	131.47
Garland	173.06
Glenburn	29.25
Greenbush	514.91
Greenfield	599.85

1984

Hampden	45.90
Holden	87.86
Howland	534.37
Hudson	335.02
Kenduskeag	43.35
Lagrange	587.51
Lakeville	664.95
Lee	367.39
Levant	5.47
Lincoln	730.20
Lowell	419.50
Mattawamkeag	651.60
Maxfield	196.38
Medway	6,224.26
Milford	643.87
Millinocket	155.06
Mt. Chase	473.96
Newburgh	64.24
Newport	166.27
Old Town	191.29
Orono	263.85
Orrington	42.26
Passadumkeag	213.04
Patten	360.75
Plymouth	83.14
Prentiss Plantation	2,549.55
Seboeis Plantation	687.68
Springfield	406.12
Stacyville	605.59
Stetson	55.27
Veazie	9.87
Webster Plantation	363.35
Winn	756.64
Woodville	800.10

Piscataquis County

Abbot	229.99
Atkinson	1,829.10
Beaver Cove	633.30
Bowerbank	3,385.35
Brownville	720.49
Dover-Foxcroft	552.64
Greenville	2,482.80
Guilford	346.39
Kingsbury Plantation	3,694.50
Lake View Plantation	867.46
Medford	715.39
Milo	238.65
Monson	535.42
Parkman	369.45
Sangerville	337.59
Sebec	388.61

	1984
Shirley	1,005.19
Wellington	423.90
Willimantic	775.61
Sagadahoc County	
Arrowsic	28.54
Bath	5.59
Bowdoin	1,218.03
Bowdoinham	127.76
Phippsburg	85.72
Richmond	526.35
Topsham	168.15
West Bath	57.57
Woolwich	98.10
Somerset County	
Anson	530.70
Athens	386.77
Bingham	593.40
Brighton Plantation	793.99
Cambridge	72.68
Canaan	251.70
Caratunk	4,766.25
Cornville	229.99
Dennistown Plantation	513.74
Detroit	63.19
Embden	3.47
Fairfield	333.71
Harmony	192.79
Hartland	328.91
Highland Plantation	629.84
Jackman	982.19
Madison	483.72
Mercer	106.57
Moose River	796.46
Moscow	464.99
New Portland	1,176.60
Norridgewock	186.04
Palmyra	8.20
Pittsfield	378.00
Pleasant Ridge Plantation	396.34
Ripley	73.35
St.. Albans	181.46
Skowhegan	295.01
Smithfield	155.55
Solon	636.94
Starks	306.90
The Forks Plantation	768.37
West Forks Plantation	4,113.45

1984

Waldo County

Belfast	69.52
Belmont	.37
Brooks	275.52
Burnham	882.60
Frankfort	100.35
Freedom	140.48
Islesboro	14.62
Jackson	210.00
Knox	17.47
Liberty	78.30
Lincolnton	82.09
Monroe	36.19
Montville	134.70
Palermo	199.65
Searsmont	10.16
Searsport	7.80
Stockton Springs	15.34
Swanville	43.85
Thorndike	36.78
Troy	1,131.45
Unity	454.95
Waldo	9.94
Winterport	15.26

Washington County

Addison	93.00
Alexander	435.94
Baileyville	1,966.35
Baring Plantation	78.60
Beddington	636.52
Calais	306.45
Centerville	826.54
Charlotte	258.67
Codyville Plantation	1,244.73
Columbia	67.65
Columbia Falls	708.90
Cooper	291.75
Crawford	570.04
Cutler	440.25
Danforth	882.67
Dennysville	174.86
East Machias	336.07
Grand Lake Stream	763.07
Harrington	26.25
Jonesboro	325.42
Jonesport	625.20
Lubec	58.50
Machias	131.25
Machiasport	227.85
Marshfield	223.16

	1984
Meddybemps	168.30
Milbridge	15.07
Northfield	787.01
No. 14 Plantation	630.30
Pembroke	258.45
Perry	22.80
Princeton	538.50
Robbinston	77.25
Roque Bluffs	16.82
Steuben	64.76
Talmadge	803.51
Topsfield	3,412.05
Vanceboro	1,615.95
Waite	327.10
Wesley	434.42
Whiting	321.02
Whitneyville	376.95
York County	
Acton	66.30
Alfred	133.80
Arundel	672.50
Berwick	68.55
Biddeford	26.02
Buxton	41.40
Cornish	339.43
Eliot	565.33
Hollis	202.80
Kennebunk	101.74
Kennebunkport	1,701.87
Lebanon	443.45
Limerick	43.80
Limington	797.09
Lyman	129.90
Newfield	565.35
North Berwick	82.69
Ogunquit	47.55
Old Orchard Beach	319.05
Parsonsfield	1,171.52
Saco	107.47
Sanford	145.91
Shapleigh	134.13
South Berwick	89.89
Waterboro	169.65
Wells	1,128.88
York	<u>247.63</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$218,223.35

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

Effective April 22, 1985.

CHAPTER 19

H.P. 913 - L.D. 1304

Resolve, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Aroostook County for the Year 1985.

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

Whereas, Aroostook County has certain expenses and liabilities which must be met as they become due; and

Whereas, it is necessary that the taxes for the year 1985 hereinafter mentioned be immediately assessed in order to provide the required revenue for the county; 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

Sec. 1. Aroostook County; taxes apportioned. Resolved: That the following sum is granted as a tax on Aroostook County to be apportioned, assessed, collected and applied to the purposes of paying debts and necessary expenses of the county as authorized herein, and for other purposes of law, for the calendar year 1985:

1985 TAX

\$1,418,324

; and be it further

Sec. 2. General Fund expenditures authorized. Resolved: That the following sums, based on