

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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CHAPTER 66

H.P. 1374 - L.D. 1959

State's collective bargaining agreement made by the State and the Maine State Troopers Association as bargaining unit for the State Police.

An Act to Fund a Collective Bargaining Agreement

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

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the operation of a state collective bargaining agreement will become due and payable July 1, 1991; and

Whereas, it is the responsibility of the Legislature to act upon those portions of a collective bargaining agreement negotiated by the executive branch that require legislative action; 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. Supplemental appropriation from the General Fund. There are appropriated from the General Fund for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993 the following sums:

| | 1991-92 | 1992-93 |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF | | |
| Salary Plan | | |
| Personal Services | \$307,500 | \$314,300 |
| Provides funds necessary to fund the 3rd year of the State's collective bargaining agreement made by the State and the Maine State Troopers Association as bargaining unit for the State Police. | | |

Sec. 2. Supplemental allocation from the Highway Fund. There are allocated from the Highway Fund for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993 the following sums:

| | 1991-92 | 1992-93 |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF | | |
| Salary Plan | | |
| Personal Services | \$922,500 | \$942,900 |
| Provides funds necessary to fund the 3rd year of the | | |

Sec. 3. Allocations from the Highway Fund. There are allocated from the Highway Fund to the department listed the following sums.

| | 1991-92 | 1992-93 |
|---|-------------|---------------|
| FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF | | |
| Executive branch departments and independent agencies-statewide | | |
| Personal Services | (\$452,100) | (\$1,674,100) |
| Provides for the deallocations of funds from salary savings as a result of reforms in the retirement systems included in this section, including directing the Board of Trustees of the Maine State Retirement System to increase the interest rate assumption from 8% to 8.13% for fiscal year 1991-92 and 8.87% for fiscal year 1992-93. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1585, the State Budget Officer shall allocate this amount among the Highway Fund accounts affected by this section. | | |

Sec. 4. Special account funding. Funding provided by this Act must be segregated into a special account to be made available as needed upon the recommendation of the State Budget Officer with the approval of the Governor. The funds must include retirement costs. Positions supported from sources of funding other than the General Fund and the Highway Fund must be funded whenever possible from those other sources.

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

Effective July 26, 1991.

CHAPTER 67

H.P. 328 - L.D. 458

An Act to Provide Funds to the Maine Rural Water Association for Services to Water and Wastewater Systems

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