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LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE

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> J.S. McCarthy Company Augusta, Maine 1995

CHAPTER 71

S.P. 716 - L.D. 1817

An Act to Provide a Contingent Allocation to Establish a Federally Funded Military Rebuild Site to be Operated by the Maine National Guard at the former Loring Air Force Base

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

Whereas, the Maine National Guard has submitted a proposal to the United States Department of Defense, National Guard Bureau to establish a federally funded depot-level military rebuild site at the former Loring Air Force Base maintenance building; and

Whereas, if this proposal is accepted, the employees of such a facility will be required to be state employees, although the State will be 100% federally reimbursed; and

Whereas, if this proposal is accepted the facility may be established in the immediate future and it will be necessary to have the means available to hire such employees; and

Whereas, the economic health of the State and Aroostook County in particular will greatly benefit if this facility is established and a prerequisite to such a facility is the establishment of an employee system; 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. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from the Federal Expenditure Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

1995-96 1996-97

DEFENSE AND VETERANS' SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Loring Rebuild Facility

Positions - Other Count (41.0) (41.0) Personal Services \$359,139 \$1,684,979 All Other 315,000 315,000 Capital Expenditures 35,000 35,000

Allocates additional federal funds for the Loring Rebuild Facility. This allocation includes funds for one Manager position, 2 Automotive and Heavy Equipment Supervisor positions, one Production Controller position, 3 Tool and Parts Attendant positions, one Clerk Typist II position, 4 Automotive and Heavy **Equipment Supervisor** positions, 9 Automotive and Heavy Equipment Mechanic positions, 9 Automotive and Heavy Equipment Worker positions, 6 Equipment Worker positions and 5 General Laborer positions and capital equipment including computer equipment and peripherals, telephone equipment, special tools and off-ramp upgrade.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND VETERANS' SERVICES TOTAL

\$709,139

\$2,034,979

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

Effective April 3, 1996.

CHAPTER 72

S.P. 758 - L.D. 1870

An Act to Authorize Casco Bay College to Grant Degrees

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

Sec. 1. P&SL 1973, c. 107 is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

Sec. 1. Associate of Science degree. Casco Bay College may confer Associate of Science degrees upon all who satisfactorily complete the courses of