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STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

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TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

CHAPTER 54

H.P. 1298 - L.D. 1841

An Act to Appropriate Funds for the Education Research Institute

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

Sec. 1. Education Research Institute. Pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, section 10, the Education Research Institute shall continue to develop and maintain an education research system that tracks important education policy issues for the Legislature pertaining to kindergarten and grades one through 12.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	1997-98	1998-99
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF		
General Purpose Aid for Local Schools		
All Other	($37,500)	($37,500)
Deappropriates funds previously appropriated in Public Law 1997, chapter 24.		
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TOTAL	($37,500)	($37,500)
LEGISLATURE		
Education Research Institute		
All Other	$75,000	$75,000
Provides funds to the Education Research Institute for continued development of the kindergarten to grade 12 education data base and for the conduct of targeted education research.		
LEGISLATURE TOTAL	$75,000	$75,000
UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM, BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE		
Education and General Activities - UMS		
All Other	($37,500)	($37,500)
Deappropriates funds previously appropriated in Public Law 1997, chapter 24.		
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE SYSTEM TOTAL	($37,500)	($37,500)
SECTION 2 TOTAL APPROPRIATION	-0-	-0-

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 55

S.P. 633 - L.D. 1850

An Act to Allow the Town of Chester to Annex a Certain Parcel of Land

Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.

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

Sec. 1. Part of Township 2, Range 8; annexation to Chester. The following lot or parcel of land bounded and described as follows and situated adjacent to the Town of Chester in the County of Penobscot is annexed to the Town of Chester:

Beginning at a point on the southwest corner of the Town of Chester on the Penobscot River and the southeast corner of T.2, R.8, N.W.P.; thence northerly along the west line of the Town of Chester and the east line of T.2, R.8, N.W.P. to the northwest corner of the Town of Chester and the northeast corner of T.2, R.8, N.W.P.; thence westerly along the northerly line of T.2, R.8, N.W.P. one mile more or less to the easterly sideline of the Interstate 95 right-of-way; thence southerly along the easterly sideline of the Interstate 95 right-of-way to the point of intersection with the southerly line of T.2, R.8, N.W.P. and the northerly line of Mattamiscontiss Township; thence easterly along the southerly line of T.2, R.8, N.W.P.