

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 2185  
(Filing No. H-1192)

STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
115TH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1547, L.D. 2185, Bill, "An Act to Make Supplemental Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government for the Fiscal Years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993 and to Change Certain Provisions of the Laws"

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the title and before the statement of fact and inserting in its place the following:

**PART A**

**Sec. A-1. Supplemental appropriations from General Fund.** There are appropriated from the General Fund for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993, to the departments listed, the following sums.

	1991-92	1992-93
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**ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

**Buildings and Grounds Operations**

Positions-Legislative Count		(-3.0)
Personal Services		(\$85,393)

Provides for the deappropriation of funds through the transfer of one Auto Mechanic Foreman position, one Auto Mechanic I position and one Storekeeper I position to the

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Central Motor Pool Fund as a continuation of reductions from fiscal year 1991-92.

**Information Services**

Positions-Legislative Count	(-7.0)
Personal Services	(394,533)
All Other	(32,657)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>(427,190)</b>

Provides for the deappropriation of funds through the transfer of the following positions to the Office of Information Services Internal Service Fund: one Administrative Secretary position, one Assistant Deputy Commissioner position, one Deputy Commissioner for Information Services position and 4 Systems Analyst positions as a continuation of reductions from fiscal year 1991-92.

**Public Improvements - Planning - Construction - Administration**

Positions-Legislative Count	(-3.0)
Personal Services	(152,207)

Provides for the deappropriation of funds through the elimination of one Director of Division of Facility Services position and 2 Engineering Technician IV positions as a continuation of reductions in fiscal year 1991-92.

**Public Improvements - Division of Safety and Environmental Services**

Positions-Legislative Count	(-4.0)
Personal Services	(140,663)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources;  
Commissioner of Professional and Financial Regulation;  
Commissioner of Conservation;  
Commissioner of Education;  
Commissioner of Environmental Protection;  
Commissioner of Finance Administrative and Financial Services;  
~~Commissioner of Administration;~~  
Commissioner of Human Services;  
Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife;  
Commissioner of Labor;  
Commissioner of Marine Resources;  
Commissioner of Mental Health and Mental Retardation;  
Commissioner of Transportation;  
Chief Executive Officer of the Finance Authority of Maine;  
Executive Director of the Maine Municipal Bond Bank; and  
Executive Director of the Maine State Housing Authority.

Sec. Y-114. 14 MRSA §8109, sub-§1, as amended by PL 1987, c. 402, Pt. A, §§104 and 105, is further amended to read:

1. Procedures for State. The State shall--have has authority to settle claims filed against it pursuant to section 8104 in accordance with the following procedures.

A. Any agency may settle any claim for an amount of \$1,500 or less when such settlement is approved by the appropriate department or agency head in accordance with regulations promulgated rules adopted by the Commissioner of ~~Administration~~ Administrative and Financial Services.

B. Any other claim may be settled when such settlement is approved by the head of the department or agency against which the claim is filed, the Commissioner of ~~Administration~~ Administrative and Financial Services and the Attorney General.

Sec. Y-115. 14 MRSA §8115, sub-§1, as amended by PL 1987, c. 402, Pt. A, §106, is further amended to read:

1. Payment from next appropriation. In the event no insurance has been procured by the State to pay a claim or judgment arising under this chapter, and no appropriated funds are reasonably available, as determined by the Commissioner of ~~Administration~~ Administrative and Financial Services, the claim or judgment shall must be paid from the next appropriation to the state instrumentality whose action or omission, or the action or omission of whose employee, gave rise to the claim.

Sec. Y-116. 15 MRSA §5825, sub-§2, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 420, §2, is amended to read:

2. Department of Public Safety; centralized record. The Department of Public Safety shall maintain a centralized record of property seized, held by and ordered to the department. A report of the disposition of property previously held by the department and ordered by the court to any governmental entity shall must be provided at least quarterly to the Commissioner of Finance Administrative and Financial Services and the Office of Fiscal and Program Review for review. These records shall must include an estimate as to the fair market value of items seized.

Sec. Y-117. 20-A MRSA §11054, as amended by PL 1985, c. 785, Pt. A, §91, is further amended to read:

**§11054. Duties of board**

The board on the part of the State shall obtain accurate accounts of all the board's receipts and disbursements and shall report to the Governor and the Commissioner of Finance Administrative and Financial Services annually on or before the 15th day of September, setting forth in such detail as the commissioner may require the transactions of the board for the fiscal year ending on the preceding June 30th. They shall include in such report recommendations for any legislation as may be necessary or desirable to carry out the intent and purposes of the New England Higher Education Compact among the states joining.

Sec. Y-118. 20-A MRSA §13451, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 878, Pt. A, §46, is amended to read:

4. Master policy certificates. The insurance company or companies or nonprofit organizations, or both, shall furnish the usual master policy and certificates. The original master policy and certificate shall must be held by the organization offering the insurance plan and the Commissioner of ~~Administration~~

2	PART B, SECTION B-6	\$394,533
4	OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES TRAINING FUND, TOTAL	\$394,533
6		
8	POSTAL, PRINTING AND SUPPLY FUND	
10	PART Y, SECTION Y-134	(\$148,014)
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14	POSTAL, PRINTING AND SUPPLY FUND, TOTAL	(\$148,014)
16	INTERGOVERNMENTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS FUND	
18		
20	PART Y, SECTION Y-135	(\$131,933)
22	INTERGOVERNMENTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS FUND, TOTAL	(\$131,933)
24		
26	OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES FUND	
28	PART Y, SECTION Y-136	(\$49,404)
30	OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES FUND, TOTAL	(\$49,404)
32		
34	BUREAU OF DATA PROCESSING FUND	
36	PART Y, SECTION Y-138	(\$116,071)
38	BUREAU OF DATA PROCESSING FUND, TOTAL	(\$116,071)
40		
42	RISK MANAGEMENT FUND	
44	PART Y, SECTION Y-137	\$-0-
46	RISK MANAGEMENT FUND, TOTAL	\$-0-
48	GENERAL FUND UNDEDICATED REVENUE	
50	PART A, SECTION A-5	\$712,783

# COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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2	PART A, SECTION A-6		80,422
2	PART B, SECTION B-1		
4	AUDIT		(75,415)
4	EDUCATION - UNORGANIZED TERRITORY		113,000
6	FINANCE - BUREAU OF TAXATION		3,600,000
6	FINANCE - BUREAU OF TAXATION		1,750,000
8	HUMAN SERVICES		114,120
8	MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION		(1,700,000)
10	MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION		250,000
10	SECRETARY OF STATE		51,144
12	PART I, SECTION I-1	(\$250,000)	(1,000,000)
12	PART J, SECTION J-1		81,082
14	PART L, SECTION L-1		65,000
14	PART P, SECTION P-1		95,000
16	PART Q, SECTION Q-1		2,607,000
16	PART Q, SECTION Q-2		3,000,000
18	PART T, SECTION T-1		127,763
18	PART U		202,800
20	PART U, SECTION U-34		6,000
20	PART U, SECTION U-35		46,763
22	PART W, SECTION W-1		3,000,000
22	PART Y, SECTION Y-131		(186,046)
24	PART Y, SECTION Y-141		45,583
24	PART CC, SECTION CC-1		225,000
26	PART NN, SECTION NN-1		80,000
26	PART UU, SECTION UU-1		150,000
28	PART WW, SECTION WW-5		5,810,000
30	GENERAL FUND UNDEDICATED REVENUE, TOTAL	(\$250,000)	\$19,251,999
32	GENERAL FUND LAPSED BALANCES		
34	PART AA, SECTION AA-1		\$5,000,000

## STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment makes various appropriations, deappropriations, allocations and deallocations that are necessary to achieve a balanced budget for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1992 and June 30, 1993. Certain provisions of the laws are amended or repealed to effect the required savings.

Reported by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs  
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