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**No. 173**

H.P. 129

House of Representatives, January 24, 2017

### **An Act To Reduce Food Insecurity**

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Reference to the Committee on Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT  
Clerk

Presented by Representative HERBIG of Belfast.  
Cosponsored by Senator DAVIS of Piscataquis and  
Representatives: BLACK of Wilton, DUNPHY of Old Town, Speaker GIDEON of Freeport,  
HIGGINS of Dover-Foxcroft, JORGENSEN of Portland, Senators: DILL of Penobscot,  
JACKSON of Aroostook, KATZ of Kennebec.

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

2 **Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and  
3 allocations are made.

4 **AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION AND FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF**  
5 **Statewide Hunger Relief Program N230**

6 Initiative: Provides ongoing funds to contract with the Good Shepherd Food Bank or a  
7 successor organization for statewide hunger relief services.

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9	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>
10	All Other	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000
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12	<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$5,000,000</u>	<u>\$5,000,000</u>

13 **SUMMARY**

14 This bill provides an appropriation to allow the Department of Agriculture,  
15 Conservation and Forestry to contract with the Good Shepherd Food Bank or a successor  
16 organization for statewide hunger relief services.