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(In Senate, February 16, 1999, REFERRED to the Committee on CRIMINAL JUSTICE and ordered printed.)

On further motion by the same Senator, **TABLED** until Later in Today's Session, pending **REFERENCE**.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

The Chair laid before the Senate the following Tabled and Later Today Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Exempt Status of Property Shipped Out of State"

H.P. 945 L.D. 1342

Tabled - February 18, 1999, by Senator RAND of Cumberland.

Pending - REFERENCE, in NON-CONCURRENCE

(Committee on TAXATION suggested and ordered printed.)

(In House, February 16, 1999, Bill and accompanying papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.)

On motion by Senator **RUHLIN** of Penobscot the Bill and accompanying papers **INDEFINITELY POSTPONED**, in concurrence.

The Chair laid before the Senate the following Tabled and Later (2/3/99) Assigned matter:

### **Emergency Measure**

An Act to Make Appropriations and Allocations for the Expenditures of State Government and to Change Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1999

H.P. 36 L.D. 50

(C "A" H-18)

Tabled - February 3, 1999, by Senator DAGGETT of Kennebec.

Pending - ENACTMENT, in concurrence

(In Senate, January 26, 1999, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-18), in concurrence.)

(In House, February 2, 1999, PASSED TO BE ENACTED.)

On motion by Senator **BENNETT** of Oxford, supported by a Division of one-fifth of the members present and voting, a Roll Call was ordered.

THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Androscoggin, Senator Berube.

Senator **BERUBE**: Thank you, Madame President. Could we get an explanation of what this is about?

THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM: The Senator from Androscoggin, Senator Berube poses a question through the Chair to anyone who may wish to answer. The Chair recognizes the Senator from Penobscot, Senator Michaud.

Senator **MICHAUD**: Thank you, Madame President. This is item 1 on Table and Later Today Assigned. This is a supplemental budget.

**THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM**: The pending motion before the Senate is Enactment. Is the Senate ready for the question?

The Doorkeepers secured the Chamber.

The Secretary opened the vote.

#### **ROLL CALL (#19)**

YEAS:

Senators: ABROMSON, AMERO, BENNETT, BENOIT, BERUBE, CAREY, CASSIDY, CATHCART, DAGGETT, DAVIS, DOUGLASS, FERGUSON, GOLDTHWAIT, HARRIMAN, KILKELLY, KONTOS, LAFOUNTAIN, LONGLEY, MACKINNON, MICHAUD, MILLS, MITCHELL, MURRAY, NUTTING, O'GARA, PENDLETON, RAND, RUHLIN, TREAT, THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM - CHELLIE PINGREE

NAYS:

Senators: KIEFFER, LIBBY

ABSENT:

Senators: LAWRENCE, PARADIS, SMALL

This being a Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 30 Members of the Senate, with 2 Senators having voted in the negative, with 3 Senators being absent, and 30 being more than two-thirds of the entire elected Membership of the Senate, was **PASSED TO BE ENACTED** and having been signed by the President Pro Tem, was presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his approval.

Senate at Ease.

Senate called to order by President Pro Tem CHELLIE PINGREE of Knox County.

The Chair laid before the Senate the following Tabled and Later (2/9/99) Assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Require Testing for HIV and Blood-borne Pathogens of All Prisoners in the Maine Correctional System" H.P. 658 L.D. 914

Tabled - February 9, 1999, by Senator MURRAY of Penobscot.

Pending - FURTHER CONSIDERATION